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Milwaukee's Strike as Yet Has not Been Settled. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

A MEMORIAL GIFT.

A Destructive Cyclone

A RING OF FIRE.

TWO YEARS OF INCENDIARY WORK BY TWO YOUTHS.

Reid and Dailey Admit Having Burned Property Valued at Over One and a Half Million Dollars. Operated in Several Cities.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) WALTHAM (Mass.,) May 15.-William T. Reid, 18 years old, and William T. Reid, 18 years old, and William II. Dailey, 20 years old, both of Cambridge, who acknowledged that they were the perpetrators of many incendiary fires which have recently occurred in Waltham, Newton, Cambridge, Somerville and other places, were arraigned in the District Court here today. The charges of incendiarism against them the boys refers to the destruction of property valued at more than \$1.500,000. The Boston and Albany Railway, at their Brighton stockyards, and the G. W. Gale Lumber Company, and the Holt & Baglee Lumber Company of Cambridge, have been the heaviest losers, from incend-

Lumber Company of Cambridge, have been the heaviest losers, from incendiarism, the latter firm losing nearly \$1,000,000.

Nearly all of the fires which have occurred during the last two years in this district gave evidence that they had been set. A few days ago a barn here was burned. It was then ascertained that two bicycle riders had been seen in the vicinity of the fire. From descriptions obtained the police arrested Dailey on suspicion. He admitted that he alone set the fire at the lumber yard of Holt & Bugbee, but that he had an accomplice in Reid on other occasions, and the latter was arrested. Reid substantiated Dailey's story. Both Dailey and Reid were formally accused of three acts of incendiarism.

#### JUDGE LOCHREN.

Ex-Commissioner of Pensions Has His Desire Fulfilled. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Judge Lochren, who was today nominated for United States District Judge of Minnesota, to succeed R. R. Nelson, was appointed Commissioner of Pensions at the beginning of the present administration. He was then a district judge in Minnesota. Judge Nelson, whom he succeeds, was appointed in 1858 by President Buchanan, and was the longest in the service of any judge in the United States courts.

Ever since Judge Lochren's appointment as Commissioner of Pensions, it has been the desire of his friends to promote him to the bench in case Judge Nelson should resign. It has been known that his preference has been for the bench rather than an executive position. Leading lawyers in Minnesota have petitioned for his appointment as United States Judge. Lochren was indorsed by the Minnesota Legislature unanimously for the position he now occupies.

Lochren's successor, Mr. Murphy, was

The New Building for Barnard College is Assured.

(BY ASS-CIATED PRESS WIRE.)

NEW YORK, May 15.—Barnard College, the woman's annex of Columbia University, having secured subscriptions aggregating \$100,000, required to secure the gift of \$100,000 tendered last secure the gift of \$100,000 tendered last year by a person who preferred to remain unknown until it became certain that the conditions of the donation were to be realized.

The identity of the donor has just been made known. She is the widow of the late Van Wyck Brinckerhoff of Hastings, Westchester county, and she makes the gift which soes toward the erection of a building on the new site of the university, Morningside Heights, as a memorial to her late husband and her father, William H. Hoople, who died in June, 1895. trusted the details in the office, and much of the executive management. He was first deputy before Judge Lochren was appointed and was active in the re-organization of the office. The appointment of Gen. Dana is a promotion. He is now a chief of division in the office. He is a graduate of West Point and obtained the rank of general in the volunteer service. He is now on the retired list of the army with the rank of lieutenant.

NELSON'S RETIREMENT.

ST. PAUL. May 15.—United States

NEWTON (Kan.,) May 15.—A structive cyclone devastated a stroof country about eight miles long a hundred yards wide two miles no west of Mound Ridge on the Miss Pacific this morning at 6 o'clock. Suel Bass a farmer, was fatally injut Torrents of rain fell.

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THE MORNING'S NEWS

The City—Pages 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 11, 14
Skirmishing for possession of a barricaded house...Some important
changes in street names...The local
political field...Ninety days given to
a Whittler bad young man...The Pasadena election contest case postponed.
Important ruling in the case of a man
charged with opening another's letter...La Fiesta will be perpetuated...
An unlicensed doctor...Meeting of the
Schoolmasters' Club...Decision on the
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San Bernardino man killed by a runaway at Riverside...Soundings of San Pedro inner harbor to be taken soon....A Riverside girl's narrow escape from being poisoned... Excitement in Santa Ana over the Chi ese murder....Active preparations for oll-boring in San Bernardino county.... New preacher installed at San Bernar-dins....The water fight at San Diego.... Big catch of sardines in Avalon Bay....
Brakeman injured at Pomona...The
Pomona school census...Endowment
for Pomona College...Burial of a murdered Chinese woman in Santa Ana.... Pomona school census shows a rapidly-

ncreasing population Pacific Coast—Page 3. The State Homoepathic Medical So-clety to meet next year in Los Ange-les...A seventeen-year-old youth tortured because he is accused of burg-lary...Bay District races...Indict-ments at Bakersfield against Lyons Brown and J. S. Douglass....Battleship Oregon arrives at Santa Cruz, going north....Christian Endeavor conference at San José....Excitement at Merced over the shooting of an unknown by two officers....An alleged agent of the Armour Packing Company sentenced for embezzlement....Stockton people make offers for the Wilmerding school....The grain-shippers and the railroads....Odd Fellows Grand Lodge transacts much business.

Russell Sare declares that Maj. Mo. Kinley's attitude on the financial question has been sound and dignified— Warner Miller says he is not in the anything-to-beat-McKinley faction.... Terrible cyclones in Texas—From thirty to eighty lives are reported lost, and over 100 killed—Several towns partly ruined....Maj. McKinley at Cleveland ruined....Maj. McKinley at Cleveland—
Says no conference between him and A.P.A. has been arranged....Milwaukee's strike develops into a tight boycott—Armour turns off some of his employ's...Ex-Commissioner of Pensions
Lochren appointed District Judge of
Minnesota...The Indian Supreme
Court declares the Legislative Appointment Act unconstitutional...Spaniards
losing heavily by desertions and insurgent's fire....Col. Dupont is unseated Bob Ingersoll's Sarcastic Reference to Dr. Quayle's Remarks. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIFE) NEW YORK, May 15.—Col. Robert G. Ingersoll consented to talk last night concerning the assertion made by Dr. Quayle in the Methodist conference at Cleveland that it was idiotic to pray for him. gents' fire....Col. Dupont is unseated by the Senate—Pension bills in the House....The Methodist conference

for him.

"I think Dr. Quayle was right," said he, "when he said that to pray for the conversion of Robert Ingersoil was idiotic. He seems to take the same view of prayer that I do; and to be consistent, he ought to stop praying. He ought to stop advising and bothering God, and that over every Methodist pulpit should be painted in large letters, "To pray for the redemption of anybody is idiotic." Dr. Quayle seems to have the true spirit of his church."

"What do you think of the Methodist' plan for putting God in the Constitution?"

"I think that if the fanatics get God in the Constitution there will be no room left for man. Our fathers in 1787 retired all the gods from politics and established a secular government. The power does not come from God, but from the consent of the governed. I stellage.

power does not come from God, but from the consent of the governed. Let us keep the aristocracy of the air from governing the land in which we live." Treasury statement and the gold erve—Officials nervous over the out-of yellow metal....Callboard sales. Silver bars, drafts and money....Brad street's weekly review....Dun's review of trade....Bank clearings.... Stocks and bonds....Local markets. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

MILWAUKEE (Wis.,) May 15.—While the street-railway company is operating all its lines, and there is little or no disturbance, the 'buses are heavily patronized as against the patronage of the cars, and there is a general boycott that seems to grow tighter every day. The cause of the strikers is being advocated by every labor union, and business of all kinds suffers with the railway company.

Although yesterday's conference between a citizens' committee, the strikers and the company was unfruitful, an attempt to effect a settlement is mooted. The company has 450 men under contract and the remainder under daily agreement. The strikers want to return in a body.

ARMOUR DISCHARGING HELP.

KANSAS CITY, May 15.—The Ar-

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15 .- Forecast for Southern California: Fair on Sat urday; warmer in the northwest portion; fresh, northwesterly winds.

BOUGHT A PAPER.

The New York Times to Be Pur

The New York Times to He Purchased by a Syndicate.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TIMES.)

CINCINNATI (O.,) May 15.—(Special Dispatch.) It is given out here today by a man who evidently knows, that the New York Times will be purchased by a syndicate of McKinley Republicans, and that the new paragraph will assume control on the ARMOUR DISCHARGING HELP.
KANSAS CITY, May 15.—The Armour packing plant today discharged 100 additional employés from its force, making a total reduction so far of 1000. There are no other new developments of the strike today. The strikers are quiet, and the boycott against Armour meats is being carried on quietly. management will assume control on the lst of July. Mark Hanna of Cleveland is at the head of the syndicate, and is the largest stockholder. Other stock-holders are H. H. Kohlsagt of Chicago. holders are H. H. Konisaat of Chicago, Mayor Strong of New York, Chris Magee of Pittsburgh, Gen. Sam Thomas, Brict's partner, and Gen. Wager Swayne of New York. Gov. Bushnell is said to be one of the purchasers, but this is not positively known. Joseph P. Smith, now State Librarian of Ohio, is to be managing editor.

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The rumor is current that the Re-corder has been bought by the same syndicate, and will be run as an after noon edition of the Times, preserving however, the name of the Recorder.

Dead Amid His Gold-dust.

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DURANGO, (Mexico.) May 15.—An unknown American gold-miner, who located near here twenty years ago and lived the life of a recluse, has been found dead in his cabin by prospectors. In the building was found gold dust aggregating \$75,000 in value. The only paper found was an old letter addressed to Frank E. Lombrick, No. 25 West Fourth street, Cincinnati. The writer was a woman who signed the name of Oilie Marcoux. The letter was dated Wheeling, W. Va. 1874, If no claimants appear, the fortune will go to the prospectors who found the body.

KANSAS CITY, May 16.—May ord, accused of murdering Louis Jaras today acquitted. The woman, sas James's mistress, shot and is he latter in a saloon. She pleaded

# LOADSOFDEAD

Texas Towns Twisted by Terrible Cyclones.

Sherman Gets the Worst of the Devastating Forces.

Houses, Trees and Fences Torn from Their Places.

**HUMAN BODIES EVERYWHERE** 

Not Less Than One Hundred People Injured.

The Whirlwind Accompanied by Rain and Thunder.

It Covers a Quarter Mile in Width at Howe.

MANY MIRACULOUS ESCAPES

enes and Incidents of the Wide spread Storm-Numerous Negro Victims-Ten Bodies Picked Up from a Creek.

(BY THERGRAPH TO THE TIMES.)

SHERMAN (Tex.,) May 15.—(Special Dispatch.) The bodies of dead children are hanging on the branches of the ash, oak and orange trees of Den-ton and Grayson counties tonight. A cyclone, the most terrific Northeastern Texas has ever experienced, dashed out lives and wrecked homes in the village of Justine and the cities of Denton and Sherman today. Fifty people are known to be dead. As many more are missing.

The combined cyclone and tornado which swept New Ulm, Minn., out of

existence fifteen years ago, wrought no such ruin to life and property as she whirlwind which this afternoon made a graveyard two of the most prosperou counties in Northeastern Texas. The devastated the forests of Northern Wisconsin and obliterated for the time being Clear Lake from all maps, did not approach the one which tonight has made Sherman the saddest city of the dead are colored people, the men, women and children of the field and plantation, has not softened the misery of the situation.

The extreme heat, aggravated by the lack of rain for ten days past, has made Sherman and vicinity almost un bearable for human life. When early May the temperature is 82 and early May the temperature is 22 and 85 deg. in Northeastern Texas, the old-est darky in the field complains. He did this morning. By noon black clouds appeared in the southwest. They they were black and yellow. Under neath was gray and yellow, with a steel blue sky, revealed here and there as the wind shifted the vapory masses be-neath, surcharged with electricity There were thunder and flashes of light ning but no rain. Children ran in from the roadways and streets, but the wo men in the houses paid little attention to the brewing of the whirlwind. The men in the fields thought it would be only a May-day shower. Even the son and Denton counties were not sent me. The bad-weather conditions for the last fortnight might have for warned the people that danger was at hand, but it did not.

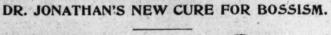
When the first blast of the cyclone was felt at Justine, in Denton county nore than a hundred miles from Sherman, the men, women and children were wholly unprepared for it. Justine was the first town to feel the blast. The work of ruin was quickly accomplish there. From there the cyclone swept northeast throughout Gerald, Denton thence to Mingo, to Gribble Springs and on to Mustang. A hundred miles was traveled in an hour.

The storm, after destroying the southwest section of Sherman, just missed the business streets. The balon-shaped cloud, which whirled and twisted human beings out of shape, in few minutes rose into the aid when within three blocks of the business treets, which were crowded with mer chants and traders, and disappeared in the direction of the Indian Territory, due north. A heavy rain followed and then a cold wave, which added much

The old city hall of Sherman and the Moore building are hospitals tonight for the care of the injured. So far, the dead the care of the injured. So far, the dead outnumber the injured, due largely to the fact that when the storm was over communication with the country districts, where terrible damage has been done, was practically impossible.

APPALLING LOSSES.

FORT WORTH (Tex.) May 15.—A special to the Gazette from Sherman, Tex., says that a most disastrous cyclone struck Sherman at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon, entirely wiping out the western end of town. The loss of life is appalling. The dead are estimated at between thirty and forty, which is a





on. The business part of town is de

serted, and the greatest excitement reigns. The Western Union office is

overflowed with anxious ones sending

and wounded. The vacant Moore build

enced in getting the names of the vic-tims and accurate reports.

The storm struck Sherman without

warning, on the southwest corner of the city, and cleared a path 100 yards wide along the west end of the town. Houses, trees, fences and everything went before the terrible force of the cy-

one. The negro part of the town suf-

fered the most severely. There are probably thirty negroes killed. Ten bodies have been picked up in Post Oak Creek. The flood of rain which

attended the storm was severe. The town is a mass of mud and floating dé-bris. There is much difficulty in find-

Capt. T. E. Ely's house was demol-ished and his wife and two children

had miraculous escapes. Capt. B. Berge's residence was also leveled to

the ground, but fortunately the family was away from home. Frank R. Hahn,

nanager of the Sherman baseball team, and his house blown off the foundation

and completely turned around. His

widespread destruction and death in

half of the city, traveling almost di-rectly north. The approach of the terrific whirlwind was announced by

a deep rumbling noise, not unlike re-

verberating thunder. A flerce and driv-ing rain accompanied it. Late tonight it is reported that forty people have been killed south of town in addition

to the city's death-list. Wagons are

unloading the dead and injured every

orth side of the Court Plaza had his

attention called to the peculiar appearance of the clouds. They were parted at

ance of the clouds. Iney were parted at the lower side, converging into a perfect funnel shape, while a boiling, seething mass of vaporous clouds was rapidly revolving in the rift. The air was sud-

denly filled with trees and twigs, and the downpour of rain brought with it a deluge of mud. Then the truth dawned on all that a cyclone was pre-

railing.

From the point where it seems to have first descended to where it sudenly arose from the ground, just north of the city, it left terrific marks of its

of the city, it left terrific marks of its passage, not a house in its path remaining; not a tree or shrub left standing or not twisted and torn out of shape. Fences are gone. The iron bridge on Houston street is completely wrecked and blown away, notwithstanding its hundreds of tons of steel and materials. The number of persons wounded will reach not less than one hundred and it will be several days before the exact number of fatallities can

fore the exact number of fatalities can be given, as many persons, and especially children, are missing, and many of the injured are in such critical shape that a score may die before morning. The list of killed as far as reported by the authorities at 10 o'clock tonight, is as follows:

Mrs. Otto Ballinger and two children.
Mrs. I. L. Burns and two children. Insenhine aged 3 and Grover, aged 10.

Josephine, aged 3 and Grover, aged 10.

-John Ames and wife and two children

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its wake, swept through the we

wife and two children escaped surlo

ing the dead and injured.

very conservative estimate. Many more are fatally or seriously injured. At 6 o'clock this evening twelve bodies are lying in the Courthouse, and as many more are scattered about across the desolate west end of the city. No ac-Mrs. George Anderson and an infant Mrs. Belle Jenkins.

D. L. Pierce and son Tom, aged 14.

Mrs. Dave Herring and two children.

An unknown woman and two little
white children about 4 and 6 years old;
not yet identified, and are being held in curate estimate can be made yet of the loss of life and property. The work of rescue and search for the missing goes

not yet identified, and are being read in the morgue for identification. The list of colored people killed so far as learned up to 10 o'clock tonight is as follows: James Walker. Mrs. Nora Nicholson and two chil-

messages and inquiring the fate of other towns. Every available wagon, buggy and horse is in use by search-ers and workers in the field of death. Lucy Ballinger and daughter Charley Cox, son of Eliza Cox. Mary Lake and three children, Letitia, ohn and Fatus.

As time grows, later reports of greater loss of life and property are arriving. Many stories of miraculous escapes are told. The Sherman Courthouse is insufficient to hold the dead An incomplete list of the wounded is s follows: Tom Jenkins, wife and five children. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller and two

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller and two children.

A heavy sliver of wood was driven through the thigh of Granville Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Halzell and little son, with B. F. Woodward, were in the cellar at the former's residence and were covered with debris. Mr. and Mrs. Halzell were both painfully bruised about the thighs, supposed to have been blown through a window.

Eliza Cox, colored, hurt in the breast, Harriet Lake, colored, cut and bruised. and wounded. The vacant Moore building on the south square was utilized at 5 o'clock, fifteen colored people, dead or dying, being placed there. Express drays, bargage wagons and all kinds of vehicles continue to come in with dead bodies. Around the Moore building the highest excitement prevails, and the greatest difficulty is experienced in getting the names of the veneral of the state of the same of the same

Ben Cephus, colored, his wife and son Clarence, all have limbs broken and are in a precarious condition. Lettie and Lummie Barns are badly

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Brown, badly bruised, Mrs. Brown's arm being broken. Ike Shearer, son of Rev. Shearer who was killed, is badly bruised. The greatest number of fatalities is reported from the colored settlement

along Post Oak and Lincoln streets, between Curry and Lost streets, where several people were killed outright. Few persons in the demolished houses are able to tell just how the storm burst upon them, and only in one or two instances were parties able to get out of its deadly path.

seriously injured. Philip Nichols received painful hurts Mrs. John Irvine and four children

are all more or less injured.

W. S. Bostwick, who was in the same residence, is cut very seriously.

Otto Ballinger, whose family was all injury.

FURTHER PARTICULARS.

DALLAS, (Tex.,) May 15.—A special to the News from Sherman, Tex. says that just a few minutes before 5 o'clock this afternoon a cyclone, not exceeding two blocks in width, but carrying killed, is badly hurt about the head Hester and Nannie Nicholson col Hester and Nannie Nicholson, colored, of the family of which six were killed, are seriously hurt.

Dave Herring and Mrs. D. L. Pierce,

who alone escaped death at their home are perhaps fatally hurt. Mary Patrick, colored, dren, all badly hurt.

Mattie Johnson, colored, head hurt and injured internally, will die.
John and Alice Newhouse, co
and four children badly hurt.

Harriet Hendricks, colored, both legs broken.

Miss Eva Pierce, daughter of D. L.
Pierce left leg and right arm broken.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Clark, painfully hurt. number of missing is large, and cludes a great many children, and it is quite probable that the most of

them are dead.

It is very conservative to estimate that the list of fatalities will reach sixty, while the injured will reach 100. At least fifty houses are wrecked.

Most of them are small cottages, except in Fairview and Washington avenues, where the handsome residences of L. F. Ely, Capt. J. G. Saller, Mrs. Pat Mattingly and James Fallas also succumbed. The loss will reach at least \$150,000, and but little of any of it was covered by cyclone insurance.

About the most graphic description given by any of the injured was that of W. S. Bostwick, who said:
"I was at John Irvine's house when I heard the noise of the approaching storm. Just as I looked out I saw Capt. Berge's house blown into the air, and then Mr. Shearer's house. The air was filled with great trees and timbers, and every conceivable kind of article. It was a black, serpentine cloud, twisting. was a black, see penting to the washing, writhing in the center, but at the bottom it seemed to be moving steadily. Then came an awful crash, a sense of suffocation, and when it was over the house was gone and myself and family were scattered about the yard and under the debrie."

der the debris." In just a few minutes the police of-ficers were appealed to for shelter for the dead and wounded, and ambulances and all kinds of conveyances were

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## SAGE IS SAGE.

### Spicy Talks with the Old Financier.

He Understands the Drift of Public Sentiment.

Knows that the People Demand William McKinley.

Warner Miller Also Reads the Signa of the Times — Is not Out to Beat McKinley—The In-structed Ones.

NEW YORK, May 15.—(Special Dispatch.) Russell Sage, than whom no better judge of actual financial conditions and prospects can be found, sale

"It is nonsense to assume that Gov. McKinley is under any obligation to come out now and get into a controversy over the money question. He has adopted a dignified course in maintaining silence, and it will be found that the people admire him for his stand. McKinley would place himself in a position to be criticized if he explained his views in detail now. He is waiting until the convention meets. The delegates of Republican voters will then draw up a platform expressing their views upon vital McKinley believes in it, he will accept the nomination, and, if elected, will

stand upon that platform and no other. "He is not making a platform and asking the people to place him on it. He does not express his opinion upon every subject and ask the people to accept it. He does not believe he is greater than the people, and he walts to hear their wishes. He is strength ening himself with the masses. They admire his attitude of respect to the people's will. Capitalists and manufac turers believe in McKinley."

Warner Miller gave the drooping Morton boom a hard rap today. He is one and instructed for Morton, but is getting heartily tired of the attempt to beat McKinley at any cost. He said today: "I want the Republicans of New York, whom I have the honor in part to represent at St. Louis, to understand that I am not taking any part in ject the proposition, 'Anything to beat McKinley.' I have looked upon all the leading candidates, and the nomination of any one of them would receive my indorsement and support, but from my correspondence and connection with the Republicans of the interior of the State, I believe a vast majority of them after and second to Gov. Morton's candidacy, prefer the nomination of Mc-Kinley. I shall attempt to carry out the wishes of the Republicans of New York, and if the occasion shall ever arise in convention my second choice will be McKinley. I have known Maj. McKinley for nearly twenty years. I know him to be an honest, straightforward, conscientious and able man." YORK'S DEMOCRATIC CON-

VENTION. NEW YORK, May 15.—The Demo-eratic State Committee today decided to nold a State convention to select delegates-at-large for the Chicago conven-tion, at Saratoga on June 24.

tion, at Saratoga on June 24.

DELEGATES FROM WYOMING ARE
INSTRUCTED.

SHERIDAN (Wyo.,) May 15.— McKinley and free silver were declared
inseparable political twins by the Republican State Convention today. The
Committee on Resolutions had a warre Committee on Resolutions had a warm session, lasting until midnight. The platform as finally reported, is intended to meet the wants of all factions and therefore satisfies none. The convention was called to order at 10:30 o'clock, and the resolutions reported by the committee were adopted without change.

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The Wyoming delegation to St. Louis is composed of Willis Vandevanter, R. B. Brooks, B. F. Fowler, Otto Gramm, J. C. Davis and C. C. Hamlin; alternates, H. G. Nickerson, M. C. Barrow, W. H. Kilpatrick, W. F. Brittain, W. F. Thom and J. H. Pickman. They were instructed to support Chairman Vandevanter for a place on the National Committee, and William McKinley for President. The delegates are also instructed to work for a freesilver plank in the national platform. The financial plank in full is as follows: "We reaffirm our allegiance to the principles of bimetallism as enunciated in the Republican State platform, adopted at Casper in 1894, and we commend the record of our Senators and Representatives in Congress in maintaining these principles, and we instruct our delegates to the St. Louis convention to take like action when the financial plank of the platform at their convention is being made."

CHICAGO'S 400. CHICAGO'S 400.

ST. LOUIS (Mo.,) May 15.—H. H. Os-good has secured quarters at the Lin-dell Hotel for 400 members of Commer-cial McKinley Club, No. 1, of Chicago, who will be here during the National Republican Convention.

SHOUP VERSUS DUBOIS. POCATELLO (Idaho.) May 15.—The Republican State Convention will assemble here tomorrow morning. Only a few delegates have so far arrived, but a number of leaders are on the ground. There will be 249 votes in the convention, 200 of which will be for Dubois. The latter's followers will put him at the head of the delegation and will name no associates not thoroughly in sympathy with him. The opposition is made up of friends of Senator Shoup, who are anxious that he be sent as a delegate. This is hardly likely, however, as he has not been in full accord with Dubois.

Many have hoped that Shoup would recognize the overwhelming sentiment POCATELLO (Idaho,) May 15.-The

of the State and announce his adhesion to Dubois's policy. A number of delegates declare they would shally unite in sending him under such circumstances. It is possible that there will be a boil in the convention. There are thirty or forty delegates who appear determined to offer a resolution to pledge delegates to support the national nominees and, when it is voted down, to bolt and elect a contesting delegation.

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GRAFTON (W.Va.,) May 15,—The Republican convention of the Second Congress District elected W. S. Lynch and T. B. Gould as delegates to St. Louis, and instructed them for McKinley. The resolutions favor a gold standard.

IN NORTH CAROLINA. RALEIGH (N. C.,) May 16 .- Nearly all of yesterday was consumed in ad justing contested seats in the Repub

lican State Convention. Pritchard was nominated by acclamation for United States Senator. McKinley was indorsed for President without a dissenting vote, and the policy of protection was in-

dorsed.
At 1:35 o'clook, on the seventh ballot Daniel Russell was nominated for Governor. It has been the bitterest fight in the State, and the Dockery men refused to make the nomination unanimous. Following are national delegates: Col. J. L. Boyd, C. M. Bernard, G. H. White, colored, and H. Denny, colored. They are instructed for Mc-Kinley.

YORKERS FOR M'KINLEY OLEAN, (N. Y.,) May 15.—The Re-publican convention for the Thirty-fourth District of New York, the last district convention to be held in this State to elect delegates to St. Louis, met today. H. V. Franchell and L. F. Stearns were chosen. Instructions for McKinley were adopted.

WILL FOLLOW TELLER. PUEBLO (Colo.,) May 15.-It was 1:30 o'clock when the Republican State Convention adjourned, having made the following nominations: Delegates at-large, Henry M. Teller, Frank C. Goudy, J. W. Rockafellow, James W. Downing; alternates, Robert W. Bonynge, Charles F. Caswell, D. J. Kelly, John A. Willtams (colored.) The delegates are instructed to act in harmony with Senator Teller.

#### ARE BACKING DOWN

The A.P.A.'s Supreme Council Read to "Exonerate" McKinley. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

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WASHINGTON, May 15.—The session of the Supreme Council of the American Protective Association today was devoted mainly to consideration of committee reports. Five Congressmen spoke before the council during the afternoon. Among them were Messrs, Linton of Michigan and Hilborn of California. The report of the Committee on Agitation took the ground that agitation without education is dangerous to the cause. The committee recommended that a bureau of information be established, to consist of the supreme president and one member of each State council.

council.

The work of the Junior A.P.A. was reviewed, and the proposition urged that that body be placed under the control of the Woman's Auxiliary of the A.P.A. The main point of the report, however, was the recommendation that all property of the United States except such as is owned and used by national, State or municipal organizations be tax-all. or municipal organizations be taxed.

The Committee on Ritual and Parahernalia made an extended report
covering technical changes in the ritasi. An Armenian subscription was
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The ritual, as finally revised by the committee, makes no direct reference to the Roman Catholic church, but makes a sweeping manifesto against sectarianism in governmental matters in a general way. The direct reference was stricken out late this afternoon, after a long and heated controversy, the advocates of the proposition finally prevailing in the committee of the whole, and the full report of the committee was adopted.

At 5 o'clock the advisory board took charge of the convention and began a significant meeting. The charges against McKinley were taken up, and a number of those who signed the affidavits making the allegations appeared before the board as witnesses. The result of the conclusions of the board and the evidence that was presented during its session were embodied in the report which will be made to the supreme council tomorrow.

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It was stated on what appeared to be good authority that the board had before it two persons who had been sent to Ohio and seen Mr. McKinley, and they had received satisfactory answers to questions propounded to him. No such official statement of such proceedings, however, could be obtained.

It was reported that the board would report that the Executive Committee had been misled by the evidence which it used as a basis for the blacklisting of McKinley, the evidence found on investigation to be unreliable and untrustworthy, and that it would further recommend that the order should not indorse or condemn any candidate for Presidential honors.

#### M'KINLEY AT CLEVEDAND.

We Conference Arranged Between Him and the A.P.A. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

CLEVELIAND (O..) May 15.—Maj.
McKinley came up to Cleveland from
Canton today, and will remain in the
city over Sunday. Tomorrow evening
he will deliver an address to the delogates of the Methodist Episcopal Con-

Concerning a report to the effect that he came here to confer with a committee from the A.P.A. convention now in session at Washington, Maj! McKinley said: "Many people call to see me every day, and I see all that come. But no conference has been arranged, and I have not been notified of the coming of any committee from Washington."

#### CATTLE EXPORTS.

Canadian Shippers Making a Fight

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)
TORONTO (Ont.,) May 15.—Cattle ex orters here are making a vigorous ight against the attempt now being nade to ship American cattle to Europe by way of Montreal. It is claimed that nadian live cattle are now permitted to

been shut out of England and exporters have built up a large trade with Prance. This, they say will be entirely rulned if American cattle are shipped with Canadian stock.

The Cattle-Feeders' Association met in secret today and decided to send a deputation to Ottawa to lay before the sovarnment an emphatic protest against the admission of American cattle into Canadian ports.

Tichita (Kan.) May 15.—The debut made by a council of Wichita
sicians that a dor that bit several
le here last week was affected with
se has caused widespread consterion. Dors are being shot by the
issue, and several of the victime
immediately go to Chicago' to
the Pasteur treatment. None of
people bitten by the dor have deped symptyoms of hydrophobia.

WEYLER WAITS FOR MORE CORN.

Country People Called on for Supplies.

Will Be Treated as Criminals Unless They Give Up.

A Letter from Gomez Says that He is in Need.

cretary Olney Informed that the New Reforms for Cuba Are to Be of "Unsurpassed Generosity." Melancholy Picture.

HAVANA, May 15.—(By South American Cable.) Capt. Gen Weyler has issued a priclamation giving the country people twenty days in which to deposit in the government centers all deposit in the government centers all the corn procurable in the provinces of Pinar del Rio, Havana and Matan-zas. The owners of the corn must carry or transport it to the villages nearest to which are detachments of Spanish troops. If the country people are unable to transport the corn them-selves they will be furnished the necessary vehicles, and the military au-thorities at the collecting centers have been authorised to purchase the corn at market price or receive it on de-

At the expiration of the twenty days all the corn not deposited or so pur-chased by the military authorities will be considered contraband of war, and the owners of it will be punished as criminals. The Spanish authorities criminals. The Spanish authorities yesterday sent from Clenfuegos province of Santa Clara, to Cruces, a prisoner of war, Mammerlo Romero, one of the insurgent leaders who had been sentenced to death by a court-martial at 9 o'clock in the morning. He was executed at Cruces at 6 o'clock the same evening. The report of the death of Aguirra, the insurgent leader, has not been confirmed.

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During the recent skirmishes in the provinces of Havana and Pinar del Rio, the insurgents have lost thirteen killed, and the troops captared two prisoners. In addition, at different points, seventeen persons have surrendered to the authorities.

Serious dissensions are said to exist between Antonio Maceo and Quintin Bandera. The former is said to be lacking in officers, and Bandera's forces are said to be lacking the mountains of Pinar del Rio on account of hunger. It is believed an important engagement will be fought along the military line shortly.

Manuel Martinez, classed as an insurgent incendiary, was taken to the death chapel today, and will be executed tomorrow.

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It is stated here that Maximo Gomez is still with his main force in the district of Santo Domingo, province of Santa Clara, although the insurgent leader Zayas and a strong body of insurgents at Jaguaya la Grande, Matanzas province, and the advance guard of Gomez's army is west of Jaguaya la Grande. A letter written by Gomez has fallen into the hands of the Spanish authorities. It was addressed to the insurgent Minister of War, Relioff, and asked for arms and ammunition with which to carry on the war in the western part of the island, adding that if these supplies did not reach him soon, the revolution would be in danger.

ger.
The cause of the ill-feeling between Maceo and Bandera is said to be the anger of the former because the latter disobeyed orders in not allowing the peaceful countrymen to concentrate in

peaceful countrymen to concentrate in the villages.

The insurgents recently tried to gather a strong force south of the military line, near Mariel, but were compelled to retire to the mountains. Detachments of Spanish troops are starting to occupy the insurgent positions.

The authorities are engaged in taking special measures to meet the exigencies of the rainy season. Gen. Suarez Yncian, after several long conferences with Gen. Weyler, goes tonight to Bahia Honda to take command of his column. Gen. Lesado is also going to Pinar del Rio to inspect the hospitals and the sanitary arrangements. He has been ordered further to examine immediately into the effect of the explo-

has been ordered further to examine immediately into the effect of the explosive bullets used by the insurgents.

The authorities express satisfaction at the sanitary state of the whole island, which is pronounced to be very favorable. They estimate that there is only 50 per cent, as much of all kinds of sickness as there was in the last rebellion. The mortality in the new hospital of Alfonso Trece, in Havana, is thirteen per 1000 inmates, while in the old hospital there were fourteen deaths for every thousand.

The cases of Charles Barnet and William Leavitt, who came to Cuba on board the Competitor, and were captured after they had landed, has been referred to the authorities at Madrid, and their decision is awaited before proceeding against the two Americans.

TOBACCO EXPORTATIONS PROHIB-

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ITED, MADRID, May 15.—Advices from Havana state tht a decree will be published tomorrow prohibiting the export of leaf tobacco from the Vuelta Abajo district, and from Havana, in order to prevent the paralysis of the industry in Cuba.

URGES WAR. NEW YORK, May 15.—A special to the Herald from Havana says that La Correspondencia Militaire, in a leading article, urges an immediate declaration of war by Spain against the United States. The writer professes his belief that when the first cannon shall be fired, the Southern States would again withdraw and preserve neutrality, and Mexico would invade the country to recover its lost territory in the West, and thus insure the quick dismemberment and lasting humiliation of the great republic. Capt.-Gen. Weyler, in extending his proclamation of amnesty, says: "I am determined to show as much generosity toward those rebels who repent and surrender their airms and re-swear their aflegiance to the government as I have already displayed energy and firmness in dealing with those who have persisted in disloyalty to the crown." NEW YORK, May 15.-A special to

ter-march westward, has been compelled to dismount several thousand of the rebel cavairymen and reorganise them as infantry.

The insurgent forces in the burned districts in Santa Clara and Matanzas are also beginning to feel the dearth of cattle and forage. Two hundred refugees and families left homeless by insurgents' torches reached the government post in Bahia Honda, Pinardel Rio, on Tuesday night, seeking food and temporary shelter. The authorities are providing for them as far as possible.

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NEW YORK, May 15.—James Creelman, Frederick W. Lawrence and another correspondent for New York daily newspapers, whom Capt-Gen. Weyler ordered out of Cuba, because they told too many truths about the manner in which the Spanish are conducting the war, have reached New York, but are detained at Hoffman Island because of the defects in their acturalization, papers. The following was included in a cablegram by Creeiman, which was intercepted by Gen. Weyler's order:

"It scarcely is possible to imagine a more deliberate defiance of the United States than that connected with incidents included in the capture of the fillbustering Competitor. All the prisoners insisted that the American flag was help up by Laborde, and afterward carried up into the rigging by Gildea, the mate, when the Spaniards fired again and again at the flag.

"Laborde said the Competitor had an American license and was regularly cleared at Key West, but that the ship's papers were selzed by the naval officers' in order that the charge of piracy might not be upset. It seems to be certain almost that the men killed in the water were the ordinary crew of the schooner. They were shot while swimming. Two men were captured on shore. The conduct of the government in this case has been marked by extreme hatred toward the prisoners. Its attitude toward the United States is one of undisquised contempt and bitterness."

A DUTIFUL GENERAL.

NEW YORK May 15.—A special to

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the Herald from Havana says the
Marquis de Palmero, Secretary-General
of the government of the island, has
given this statement: "Capt.-Gen.
Weyler has no prejudice whatever
against American citizens as such, and
if it were not absolutely necessary to
put a stop to filibustering expeditions
he would take real pleasure in pardoning the condemned prisoners from the
Competitor, foreigners, as well as
Spanlarda, but as it is necessary to
make an example of them, he must
perform his duty."

SUFFERING LOSSES.

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NEW YORK, May 15.—The Herald's correspondent in Puerto Principé, Cuba, reports that the Spanish column of 1500 men which left that city April 26, under command of Gen. Imenez Cattellanos, Governor of the province, has not yet returned, being still in pursuit of the rebels, with whom it has had several engagements, It is reported Cattellanos's force has suffered heavy losses, and that an entire company was macheted by insurgents under Rabi. SUFFERING LOSSES

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The insurgent President, Cisneros, and Secretary of War Roloff are still in that province, where Calixto Garcia, escorted by José Maceo's forces, is momentarily expected from the Orient.

The large number of desertions from the Spanish ranks is alarming the authorities. The entire garrison in Cibanicu has been relieved by order of the Governor, who accidentally discovered a conspiracy to go over to the rebels in a body. The captain and lieutenants were placed under arrest, while the comporal and a private were publicly shot two days ago. A sergeant belonging to the same company had previously deserted to the rebels. The principal cause of discontent among the Spanish troops is ill-treatment and lack of pay.

THOSE PROMISED REFORMS. WASHINGTON, May 15 .- The Span WASHINGTON, May 15.—The Spanish Minister here has acquainted Secretary Olney with the tenor of the reforms which his government proposes to make in the administration of affairs in Cuba, and the subject has been carnestly discussed between them. The Minister states that liberal as were the measures of reform held out to the Cubans in the act of the Cortes in March, 1895, which were prevented from going into operation, as he contends, simply by reason of the action of the Separatists, they are surpassed in generosity by the terms of the new act to which the Queen Regent alluded to in her speech at the recent opening of the Cortes.

Cortes.

In the Spanish view Cuba, under the terms of this act, will enjoy a measure of autonomy comparable to that enjoyed by Canada. The principle obstacle to the immediate application of stacle to the immediate application of these reforms in the island thes in the indisposition of the Spanisn Tovernment to be placed in the position of being obliged by fears of the rebels to make these concessions, but there is reason to believe this point may be yielded and the measure appplied shortly if it can be shown, perhaps through the good offices of the United States, that the Spanish government may do this without the least reflection upon the honor of the nation.

A MELANCHOLY PICTURE.

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LONDON, May 15.—The Times publishes a three-column letter this morning from a correspondent in Havana under date of May 2. In the course of the letter this correspondent says:

"It is quite useless to hide the real situation. The whole island is in revolt and the Spanish troops are merely acting on the defensive. It is impossible that they can prevent the landing of supplies and war materials for the rebels. Even the position of Macco's forces confined in Pinar del Rio is not of as desperate a nature as the Spaniards make believe. Only a few isolated rebels have taken advantage of Capt.-Gen. Weyler's offer of annesty. Spain has lost the power to protect life and property in Cuba.

"Widespread inquiries fail to justify the charges of cruelty against Gen. Weyler, but the rebels' destruction of property senion be justified. The wanton burning of some £1,000,000 worth of property belonging to inoffensive people is not war."

The letter proceeds to dilate upon the economic ruin wrought by the break-down of the sugar crop, which has rendered thousands destitute, while the to-bacco trade is in a still worse condition. The cigar factories of Havana, the correspondent continues, only have material for a few weeks and the closing of their doors means the throwing out of employment of 50,000 persons. The total exports from Cuba are estimated at £3,000,000 compared with £15.000,000 for 1895. But for the trading involved by the war, every merchant would be compelled to suspend business. One of the most prominent merchants here says that Cuba has received its death blow, but in my opinion an immediate peace would still leave a chance for the return of prosperity. Commenting editorially, the Times says:

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"A more melancholy picture would be impossible to imagine than our Havana correspondent draws, but it is doubtful whether any demonstration of the desperate nature of the case will induce the Spaniards to acquiesce in an arrangement so galling to their national pride as that which our correspondent suspenses, namely, autonomy guaranteed by the United States.

"Taking the dismal picture as it is presented, we see but one hope for the maintenance of the Spanish connection, namely, a speedy and thorough re-

conquest, followed by redress of grievances, the abolition of cerruption and an honest government of Cuba for the Cubans instead of for the official classes in Spain."

The Times' Havana letter continues by saying:

"Señor de Lome (Spanish Minister at Washington) recently informed me that the reforms granted by the Abarzunga law, adopted by the Cortes in 1896, would be shortly applied, and that the Cubans are not advanced enough to receive autonomy. Perhaps Señor de Lome is right, but it is absolutely certain that the rebels will come to terms on no other condition than autonomy, and even now the time may be past for compromise. There are only three possible endings of the rebellion:

"First—A continuance of the present policy of the ruin of Cuba.

"Second—That the Cubans should gain their independence by fighting until Cuba is bankrupt, with the result that the island would be given to anarchy and war between the whites and blacks. Cuba as an independent republic would become a hell on earth, compared with which Haytl is, a paradise.

"Third—That Spain should offer autonomy on the Canadian model under the guarantee of the United States. All of the better class of Cubans would accept such a guarantee, peace could be concluded immediately and Spain would regain a fertile country under her own flag to emigrate to."

The letter concludes by complaining of the muzzling of the Cuban press, now "amounting to a complete gag."

A RUSSIAN IDEA.

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NEW YORK, May 15.—The Herald this morning says that John Poyntz Spencer, P.C., K.G., M.P., fifth Earl Spencer, and Countess Spencer have arrived in New York from Buffalo in Chauncey'M. Depew's private car. Earl Spencer said in an interview:

"I suppose you would like me to say something about the Venezuelan question. I have no objection to talking about that. I am convinced that there need be no apprehension of any kind between these two countries arising from that matter. Our interests are too closely allied, the welfare of the two peoples are too nearly bound together for any such matter to cause war. I have read in some Americans say and I have read in some Americans say and I have read in some American papers that Great Britain is endeavoring to increase her territory in this hemisphere. I am sure there is no such desire on the part of the British government. We will protect British interests to the utmost and that means the commerce of the world."

"You mean to infer, then, that the claim of Great Britain to certain territory in Venezuela is a rightful claim?"

"Certainly, absolutelly. I am well able to speak with authority, for I am acquainted with the inside secrets of the British foreign policy. I may say that I have been behind the scenes."

"Will you say something about Cuba?"

"Well, now. I do not want to say or put myself on record as having sald anything about American politics at home or abroad. England has all along maintained a strict neutrality and when I was in office (Lord Spencer was First Lord of the Admiralty in 1892 and 1895, the ships and the West Indian stations were instructed to keep strictly neutral. But if it is true, as I have heard it stated, that some Englishmen are among those tried by courtmartial and condemned to death, you may be sure that the government will look into the matter. We propose to protect the rights of our citizens wherever they are.

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"This Guban question is not by any means a new one. I remember that when I was in this country in 1857 it was alive then. I recollect that at that time an American officer named, I think, Walker, had made an incursion into the Mexican ferritory, and there was some excitement throughout the country about his possible execution. The question of the freedom of Cuba was before the public even so long ago as that."

#### THE ENDEAVORERS.

Reports and Papers Read—The Mer bership Growing. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN JOSE, May 15 .- The second day

SAN JOSE, May 15.—The second day of the session of the State convention of Christian Endeavor Unions was opened with devotional services conducted by E. S. Chapman, D.D., who gave some valuable instruction on the method of Bible study, followed by an address entitled, "The Bulwark Against Evil," by A. J. Frost, D.D., of San Bernardino.

Secretary Merrill's report showed that although there were supposed to be 720 unions in the State, he had only received returns from 230, and the total membership has increased 2000. The total membership is 54,245, of which 12,000 are juniors. The treasurer's report, read by E. C. Gilbert of Oakland, showed a small balance on hand.

Miss B. P. Mason, superintendent of the junior work, showed the junior branch to be in a flourishing condition. The reading of other annual reports occupied the remainder of the morning session.

session.

This afternoon the session of the Christian Endeavor convention was called to order by State President Kellogg. The devotional service was conducted by Evangelist John H. Elliott of Chicago. A. J. Frost, D.D., of San Bernardino, delivered a lecture entitled, "The Christian Sabbath." Numerous papers were read and E. L. Beckford was appointed acting treasurer protem in the absence of P. C. Macfarlane. At the evening session 4000 persons was appointed acting freasurer from the absence of P. C. MacCarlane. At the evening session 4000 persons were present. Devotional services were conducted by John L. Spears, State secretary Y.M.C.A. Alexander Patterson, D.D., of Chicago, delivered an address on "The Influence of the Holy Spirit on the Faculties of Man." Rev. William Rader of San Francisco, lectured on "Christian Citisenship." The session was closed with prayer by Rev. E. B. Hayes.

The following shows the denominational strength of the Christian Endeavor in California: Congregational, 6872; Presbyterian, 9513; Christian, 4179; Friends, 759; Union, 2761; Baptist, 2805; Lutheran, 111; Methodist, 1148.

A DOUBLE BILL.

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Negro Field Hanged and German Mandreth Respited at Chicago.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WRE.)

CHICAGO, May 15.—Today, for the first time since the execution of the Haymarket Anarchists, a double hanging was on the schedule in the Cook County Jail. The condemned men were Alfred C. Field, a negro convicted of the murder of Mrs. Randolph, and Joseph Mandreth, a German, convicted of the murder of C. B. Birch. Just before the time of the execution word came that a stay had been granted Mandreth, Judge Baker allowing a postponement of three weeks.

Field, the negro, was executed at 12:27 o'clock. He smiled on the scarfold, and said, "Good-by, old Sport," to an acquaintance present, and was then strangled to death, his neck not being broken by the fall.

The purpose of Mandreth's respite is to allow a further inquiry as to his sanity.

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Deciding Vote Cast by

Senator Stewart.

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Sixth Virginia District was unanimous decided in favor of Mr. Otey (Dem.,) the sitting member.

After the night pension, season, the House adjourned till Monday.

Its Entries.

The Result Was in Doubt Up to the Last Moment.

A Revision of the Tariff Law is Demanded.

enator Morgan Inquires Concerning Rights of Americans Under the Treaty with Spain—Pension Bills in the House.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)
WASHINGTON, May 15.—By a vote of 31 to 30 the Senate determined today that Henry A. Dupont was not entitled to a seat in the Senate from the State of Delaware. This closed a long and animated controversy, which had been one of the most notable contests of its kind in the history of the Senate. The result was in a superior of the Senate. The result was in a superior up to the isst moment, and this lent added interest to the final vote. There had been some question as 1-, the direction of Senator Stewart's vote, but it went with those of the Democrats and Populists, and was the decisive vote in declaring that Mr. Dupont was not entitled to a seat. Before taking the vote Senator Platt spoke for Mr. Dupont, and Senator Vilas against.

Garlier in the day Senator Bacon of Georgia spoke against the issue pt bonds without authority of Congress. A resolution was agreed to for an inquiry by the Finance Committee relative to the competition of Oriental products with those of this country. Resolutions were proposed by Senator Morgan of Alabama for an inquiry as to our treaty rights with Spain, and by Senator Gallinger relating the the need of additional tariff enactments.

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, May 15.—SENATE—
In the Senate today Senator Morgan of
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Alabama presented a resolution concerning the Americans under condemnation at Havana, and said he would address the Senate on it tomorrow. The resolution directs the Committe on Forcign Relations to inquire into and report on the rights of the United States under our treaties with Spain as to the trial of our citisens arrested in Cuba and now under sentence of death by a Spanish military tribunal for alleged offenses of political or other character. It requests of the Secretary of State literal copies of the protocol signed by Caleb Cushing and the Spanish Minister, and copies of recent correspondence relative to the condemnation of Americans at Havana.

Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire offered the following: "Resolved that widespread business depression and the rapid increase of public debt demonstrates that the existing tariff law does not produce sufficient revenue and the revision of the law is imperatively demanded in the interests of the people of the United States." Senator Gallinger announced that he would address the Senate on this resolution or a similar measure before Congress adjourned. The resolution heretofore introduced by Senator Mills directing the Finance Committee to investigate the effect on American products of the introduction of Oriental products, was agreed to with an amendment by Senator Allen of Nebraska that the inquiry cover the relative labor cost in this country and the Orient.

Senator Cullom presented the final conference agreement on the Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation Bill, but action was deferred as Senator Hill desired to look into the agreement on the United States Commissioner.

Senator Bacon of Georgia was recogized for a speech supporting his resolution prohibiting a further use of bonds without specific authority from Congress He urged that Congress should repeal then it was justly chargeable with approving the law, as it had that this Congress adjourned without such repeal, then it was justly chargeable with approving the law, as it had

that if this Congress adjourned without such repeal, then it was justly charge-able with approving the law, as it had the power to disapprove it. As more bonds would be issued, Congress would be further chargeable with approving such issues if it failed to make them

such issues if it failed to make them impossible.

It would be a serious blow to our institutions, said Senator Bacon, when one man in his unbridled will could determine the amount to which the public debt would be increased. Every such bond issue, said he, weakened the loyalty of the people and made them subservient to one-man power. It was not for the executive to make laws or determine the amount of taxation. He spoke of the present autocratic power of the executive branch, permitting the Secretary of the Treasury to create debt.

Senator Butler of North Carolina

rasolution prohibiting bond issues. He asked consent to take up the resolution tomorrow.

Senator Hill objected.

Senator Butler gave notice that he would move to consider his resolution as soon as the District of Columbia Appropriation Bill was passed.

The Dupont election case was then taken up, Senator Platt of Connecticut resuming his speech, begun yesterday, in support of Mr. Dupont.

Senator Vilas summed up the arguments against Mr. Dupont's claim to a seat. He closed at 5 o'clock, the hour set by previous 'agreement for a final vote. The question was on Senator Turple's resolution declaring that Mr. Dupont was not entitled to a seat. The Turple resolution was carried; yeas, 31, nays, 30, all Democrats and Populists voting for it, and Republicans against it. Senator Jones of Nevada paired with Senator Wolcott of Colorade.

The Turple resolution had been in the form of an amendment inserting the word "not" in the affirmative resolution of Senator Mitchell of Oregon, chairman of the Committee on Elections, declaring Mr. Dupont ejected. The resolution was put to a vote, and was carried by the same vote as before, vis.: Yeas, 31; nays, 30.

This closed the contest, and, after a brief executive session, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE. The House today occupied

passed, leaving about sixty yet urdisposed of.

At the opening of the session, ir. Howard of Alabams arose to a quistion of privilege to denounce he fabrications some newspaper reponsprinted ive months ago to the enerthat he and entered the hall of the House in an intoxicated condition, and had beer carried out by two colored portage.

THE BINAKER CONTEST.

WASHINGTON, May 15,—The Election Committee, Np. 1, of the House held a meeting today to discuss the action of the House in recommitting the Rinaker-Downing election case with instructions to recount the disputed ballots, but as the committee did not have joincal information of the action of the House, nothing was done today. The partisans of Mr. Rinaker urge the immediate adoption of a resolution instructing the sergeant-at-arms to proceed to Illinois and summon the olerks of the counties of the district with an order to bring the election ballots forthwith to the bar of the House for a recount. They believe that the ballots can be recounted, and a final decision reached if prompt action is taken before the adjournment of Congress.

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WASHINGTON, May 15.—The conferees of the two houses on the Indian Appropriation Bill have agreed to allow the amendment made in the Senate in regard to government aid to sectarian Indian schools to stand, but it is believed that when reported to the House the agreement will not be accepted. If not, another conference will be ordered, probably with instructions to stand by the provision as originally made by the House. The Senate amendment gave Iwo years' extension to the sectarian schools.

RIVER AND HARBOR BILL WASHINGTON, May 16.—The co crees on the River and Harbor B were at work all the afternoon as

were at work all the afternoon and made very rapid progress. Over one-half the bill was passed over. The consideration of all the controverted items was postponed until the minor matters were disposed of.

The contracts inserted by the Senate, including those of Oakland, Port Oxford, Ore, Vineyard Bay and the provision relating to the Santa Monica and San Pedro harbors, California, were laid aside for later action. These contract items are those upon which the main struggle will come. Of the minor items reached today, the House yielded a number and a number were disagreed to.

CORONATION FETES

McCook and Admiral Selfridge and Others Will Attend. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

MOSCOW, May 18.—(By Atlantic Ca-ble.) Gen, McCook and Mrs. McCook, Mrs. Alexander, Col. McCook, Miss Mc-Cook and Capt. Seriver arrived her-this morning to witness the fetes at-tending the coronation of the Csar. Gen. McCook will represent the President of the United States at the coronation cer-amonias.

monies.

Admiral Selfridge, U.S.N., and Admiral Selfrings, U.S.N., and masstaff, consisting of five officers, Lieutenant-Commander R. P. Roger, the United States naval attaché at St. Petersburg, and Creighton Webb. are expected here on Monday or Tuesday. Among the American visitors already here is Mrs. Zella Nutali.

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ST. PETERSBURG, May 15.—The Grand Duke Alexander, an aide-de-camp to the Emperor, visited the United States steamship Minneapolis today at Cronstadt. The Minneapolis bears the flag of Rear-Admiral T. O. Selfridge. Grand Duke Alexander is a cousin of the late Czar Alexander III, and is captain of a frigate in the Russian navy.

Transvaal Council to Consider the Prisoners' Petitions. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

PRETORIA, May 15.—(By African Cable.) The Executive Council today resolved to take into favorable consid-eration the petition of the reform pris-oners asking for a mitigation of their WILL BANISH THEM.

PARIS, May 15.—A message received here from Pretoria says the Transvaal nent of the reformers

KILLED NEARLY EIGHTY. BULUWAYO, May 15.—A party under Capts. Grey and Wray attacked and routed a body of Matabeles near The-bau Indus, killing nearly eighty.

"Baby Browning" Unavenged.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—John T.
Flynn, who was accused of the murder
of "Baby Browning," was discharged
by Folice Judge Low this afternoon.
After hearing all the testimony about
the finding of the babe in a valise at
Twelfth and Market streets and the
stories of Mrs. Browning, Tessie
Browning, Mrs. Shane, Flynn and
others, the Judge concluded that there
was not sufficient evidence to hold
Flynn over to the Superior Court.

Died of Pacumonia.

MARTINEZ, May 15.—Ising Weiss, for the past thirty-five years a resident of Martines, died here this morning, after an illness of a week, of pneumonia.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Rear-Admiral Thomas H. Stevens, U.S.N., retired, was found dead in bed at Rock-ville, Md., this morning.

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Louisville Furnished No Line as to the Result.

Yesterday's Work on the Diamond An Attachment on Washington's Ball Receipts—The Kaiser Will not Challenge.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)
CINCINNATI, May 15.—The spring meeting of the Cincinnati Jockey Club begins Thursday next, Derby day. The following are the probable starters in the \$1250 Derby. Ben Brush, 122, Ben Eder. 122; Semper Ego, Loki, Prince Lief, Nimrod, The Dragon, The Winner, Ramiro, Beau Ideal, Frontier, Rewarder, 117 each: Reckwood, Yorktown, Amazement, Harbinger, 113 each.
It is almost a certainty that a dozen will go to the post. The three-year-old stakes at Louisville have given no line on the Oakley Derby, and never before was there more uncertainty in all quarters about the result of a great race. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

EASTERN BASEBALL.

Pittsburgh Makes Three Costly Er-

Pittsburgh Makes Three Costly Errors—St. Louis Heats Washington.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

PITTSBURGH, May 15.—Each of

Pittsburgh's errors cost a run and their
good batting failed to bring them victory. The attendance was 2800. Score;

Pittsburgh, 6; hits, 13; errors, 3.

Boston, 8; hits, 12; errors, 1.

Batteries—Hawley and Sugden; Nichols and Ganzel.

LOUISVILLE, PHILADEL, PHIA

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LOUISVILLE, May 15.—The Colonels are simply outdeing themselves, today's game making the third straight they have won. The Phillies could not bunch their hits on Smith. The attendance was 2000. Score:

Louisville, 9; hits, 9; errors, 2.

Philadelphia, 3; hits, 10; errors, 3.

Batteries—Smith and Dexter; McGill and Boyle, Cross.

ST. LOUIS-WASHINGTON.

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ST. LOUIS, May 15.—Today's game was a pitcher's battle in which Breitenstein had the best of it. He struck out six men. Both pitchers were well supported. The attendance was 1500.

St. Louis, 5; hits, 4; errors, 2. Washington, 2; hits, 2; errors, 2. Batteries—Breitenstein and McFar-land; Mercer and McGuire. CLEVELAND-NEW YORK.

CLEVELAND, May 15.—Cleveland won with the stick. Doheny was batted hard and Campfield was called in to take his place. Both sides fielded very loosely: The attendance was 1800. Score:

core: Cleveland, 10; hits, 14; errors, 3. New York, 4; hits, 7; errors, 2. Batteries— Wilson and Zimmer; Do-eny, Campfield and Farrell.

CHICAGO-BALTIMORE. CHICAGO-BALTIMORE.
CHICAGO, May 15.—Friend kept the champions down to six singles, three of which were made in the third. The Colts' errors were costly, but they bunched thesir hits, earning six runs. The attendance was 3100. Score: Chicago, 8; hits, 12; errors, 4. Baltimore, 7; hits, 6; errors, 4. Baltimore, 7; hits, 6; errors, 4. Batteries—Friend and Kittredge; McMahon and Robinson.

SAN FRANCISCO. May 15.—Six fur-onga: My Sweetheart won, Chinook second, Miss Garvin third; time 1:16%, Half a mile: Viking won, Santa Paula second, Jerilderio third; time

Paula second, Jerilderio third; time 0:49%.
Six furlongs: Wandering Nun won, Zobair second, Gracie S. third; time 1:16%.
Seven furlongs: Peru won, Miss Ruth second, Elmer F. third; time 1:22%.
Five furlongs: Myrtie H. won, Mollie R. second, Senator Mahoney third; time 1:02%.
Six furlongs: Senator Bland won, Rebellion second, Virgle A. third; time 1:14%.

Six furiongs; Senator Shall wow, Rebellion second, Virgie A. third; time 1:14%. Five furlongs; William Pinkerton won, La Mascota second, Morven third; time 1:01%. Von der Abe's Attachment

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ST. LOUIS (Mo.,) May 15.—The receipts of yesterday's baseball game, amounting to \$2400, belonging to the league baseball club of Washington, were attached by President Von der Ahe of the St. Louis Browns. The suit is another of those growing out of the Pendleton Park venture in 1891 at Cincinnati, when Chris went security for the rent of Pendleton Park, the other league clubs giving an indemnity bond.

Weaver Will Protest.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—Philip Weaver, superintendent of the City and County Almshouse, today relinquished his place to Capt. Edward Reddy, who was appointed by the Board of Health, but Weaver says he will appeal to the courts to declare Reddy an usurper, as he (Weaver) was not dismissed for cause, but for political reasons.

### GRAIN SHIPPERS WILL PROFIT

#### Lively Kailroad Fight in Prospect.

Mr. Stubbs Preparing to Open Up on Mr. Watt.

What the Outcome May Be is Foreshadowed.

Homocopathists to Meet in Los Angeles-Christian Endeavor Conférof an Alleged Burglar.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—The grain-shipping season in the San Joaquin Valley to Stockton and Port Joaquin Valley to Stockton and Fort-Costa will open this year early in July. Mr. Stubbs, on behalf of the Southern Pacific, is preparing to make a fight against the Valley moad for the grain shipments between Stockton and Mer-

Vice-President Watt, who, in the absence of President Claus Spreckels, in Europe, is at the head of the new line, and Traffic Manager Morse are keeping their plans very quiet, but it is known that on June 20 next they intend to open the road from Stockton to Merced for grain shipments to Stockton, Port Costa and Sacramento. They have made pro rata arrangements with the steamboat companies to Port Costa and Sacramento, and have prepared schedules of grain rates from points and Sacramento, and have prepared schedules of grain rates from points along the new road to Sückton, Port Costa and Sacramento. They do not intend to make their rates public until a couple of days before the opening of the new road into Merced in order to prevent the Southern Pacific from knowing what their plans are until the last moment.

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The new road has established five stations within a distance of seventy-five miles south of Stockton. They are at advantageous points for grain-shipments, and will be known respectively as Burnham, Escalon, Clauston, Le Grands and Marguerite. People along the line of the road have filed numerous applications for other stations, and between now and June 15 the directors will probably locate ten more with proper sidetracks for the accommodation of the wheat men. While the directors are bending every energy to push into Fresno by August 15 next. they want to handle as much wheat as possible north of Merced as soon as the wheat-shipping season opens. They think they will be able to quote rates much lower than the Southern Pacific ever has, and believe they will be able to cover much of the territory covered by its main line in the San Joaquin and its eastern branches running by the way of Stockton, Charleston, Farmington and Oakdale into Merced. COMMISSIONERS TAKE A HAND. COMMISSIONERS TAKE A HAND

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.-The Board of Railroad Commissioners has completed its first annual report to Gov. Budd. Commissioners La Rue and Stanton have signed the report. Commissioner Clark may make a minerity report. The report contains no statistics of the debts, earnings and expenses of the various California lines, but makes the statement that a supplemental report on these matters for 1895 will be made in the course of a few weeks.

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The majority report objects to the action of the Southern Pacific and the other overland roads in increasing the freight burdens of the fruit men by tolerating the various refrigerator fruit car companies' independent charges on eastern fruit shipments. The report vindicates the board's action in refusing to increase rates on petroleum oil shipments in. California, and reffirms the determination to compel all steamship and steamboat companies interested in California trade to make annual reports. The statement is then made that the commissioners will endeavor to have the question of their authority over street-car lines decided soon.

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Reference is made to the orders relucing Southern Pacific local grain
ates 8 per cent., and reducing all
southern Pacific local rates an average
25 per cent. In discussing the in-

of 25 per cent. In discussing the in-junction suit of the Southern Pacific, the report says:

"The questions at issue are of the utmost importance to the people of the State, and involve not only the right of regulation of rates through the me-dium of a railroad commission but the of requiation of rates through the me-dium of a railroad commission but the vital question of the right of the peo-ple of the State of California through the commission to regulate or to in-terfere in any manner with the charges fixed by the Southern Pacific Company, if the position taken by the complain-ants is sustained, all hopes for the regulation of the rates of this corpora-tion will be destroyed, and such charges as they may deem proper will be en-forced regardless of the will of the people."

THEY ARE EXPERTS.

The Two Forgers Who Are Wanted

at San Francisco.

(ST ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—Detectives John Seymour and Ross Whittaker are on their way to New York.

They will not return until they bring Charles Becker and James Creegan with them.

As Becker is the man for whose con-

with them.

As Becker is the man for whose capture the banks of the United States have paid so much money, no effort will be spared to secure the conviction of this prince of penmen. It is hinted that the inducements which A. H. Dean found so favorable will be held out to James Creegan to induce him to turn State's evidence, secure concessions, if not immunity for himself by betraying his leader, and land in prison a man far too dangerous and clever to be at large.

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If it were possible to make Creegan follow the example of Dean and make a confession, affairs would be gloomy for Becker, but the bankers of America would let a dozen Deans and Creegans go to convict Becker. Creegan, it is said, is not a "game" man. His actions when he was arrested showed that he is anything but a daring manipulator, and may be one susceptible to the honeyed words of the police. It will be arrued that he would save himself, as Dean has aiready done, and leave Becker to the fate which has overtaken many of his companions. If the police should secure a confession from Creegan very little more evidence would be required. If the confession is not ebtained, something more than the evidence of Dean will be necessary to convict his two confederates.

When he left that establishment and his name changed with his life in each city, he found the art of an honest profession much more valuable in a dishonest one. When he faund it convenient to do so he would print a duplicate of a check to be forged. When that was impossible he would engrave a substitute. He would pursue his investigations until he secured the same paper and ink, and the same pensued on the genuine checks. He left nothing undone, and his work is a marvel, even to men that are skilled in the detection of forgerles. His duplicates deceived even the men that made the checks he had forged.

THE ODD FELLOWS.

Charters Granted to New Lodges Dispensation for Los Angeles. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WILE.)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—The
Odd Fellows Grand Lodge held three
long sessions todgy and transacted a
large amount of business. A resolution was adopted prohibiting the use large amount of business. A resolution was adopted prohibiting the use of wine, beer or any other intoxicating beverages at any ball, supper, banquet or function given under the auspices or in the name of an Odd Fellows lodge or affiliated body, even outside of a lodgeroom or premises owned or controlled by the order or part thereof. Heretofore the use of intoxicants was prohibited at functions given in the lodgeroom or meeting place buy. The new clause is in conformity with the recommendation of the Grand Masters. Charters were granted to two subordinate and fourteen Rebekah lodges, instituted since the adjournment of the last grand lodge, and dispensations were granted to institute one German Odd Fellows lodge and one Rebekah lodge in Los Angeles.

The State assembly of Rebekahs was occupied in discussing the report of the special Committee on Orphanage, which was in favor of locating that institution at Gilroy, from which place a generous offer had been made through Mrs. Hoxett. Grand Master Gosbey made a stirring appeal on behalf of the proposed orphanage. He was ably seconded by the grand secretary, Mrs. Mary E. Donohoe. The report favoring Gilroy was adopted.

THE BRUNSWICK BONANZA.

vestigation of its Genuinene (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) known whether or not another bonanza has been struck in the Brunswick lode. It is stated that the ore so far taken out is identical with the best that the Colsolidated California and Virginia ever produced. The mining superintendents, while cautious in the expression of their opinions, are nevertheless strongly inclined to believe that a bonanza is at hand.

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Tomorrow there will be an exodus of mining men from this city for Virginia City and the Brunswick lode. Among those who will go up are W. E. Sharon, R. P. Keating, Arthur Gorham, A. C. Hamilton, John W. Kelly, H. M. Levy and W. E. Lester. The fluctuations in the stock market today were slight. All the stocks moved up and down a few cents, closing strong at about the opening price.

EXCITEMENT AT MERCED. nquest Over an Unknown Man Sho

by Two Officers.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

MERCED, May 15.—The largest crowd seen in the Courthouse for five years assembled there tonight to listen to the inquest over the body of the un-Delashmutt of Selma on the train at

Delashmutt of Seima on the train at Livingston, this county.
Excitement has been running high here for several days over the matter, as people believed the shooting was unnecessary and that the officers should be punished for it. Tonight, witnesses who saw the escaped prisoner say he is not the man shot, while others testified that the victim was a laboring man. One man who saw the shooting seys he did not see the stranger draw a weapon or shoot at the officers. The inquest was adjourned until tomorrow night.

#### A BOY TORTURED.

Thomas Reynolds Accused of Burg-lary and Strung Up.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—Thomas Reynolds, 17 years old, was in the po-lice Court today charged with bur-glary. He spat clots of blood at inter-vals and pulled his shreds of clothing over his shoulders. He says he was wrongfully accused of burglary at the

wrongfully accused of burglary at the house of Charles Harold, by whom he was formerly employed. The robbery was committed on March 16, after which Reynolds was discharged by Harold. Reynolds says that last night he was passing Harold's house, when Harold and two other men, named William Riordan and Henry Leopold, took him to the barn and, because he would not confess the robbery, tied a rope around his neck and hanged him to a beam until he lost consciousness. He was horribly tortured, he says, and was afterward given to a policeman, who booked him for burglary. His clothes were torn off his back during his struggles.

SAN FRANCISCO FIESTA.

Proposal to Hold it the First Week in October.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)
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SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—The Committee on Arrangements of the proposed fiesta, met at the Baldwin Hotel last night. Gen. Warfield presided.

Unless the recommendation of the committee should fail, the proposed celebration will be known as "The Carnival of the Golden Gate." It is intended to hold it the first week in October, continuing six days. Last night's committee suggested that a general plan of organisation be effected by the committee suggested that a general plan of organization be effected by the appointment of a board of twenty-five directors to be selected from the various mercantile and fraternal organizations of the city. The recommendations of the committee will be submitted to a general meeting of the projectors of the enterprise on Saturday evening.

Timothy Fitsgerald Says He's the Victim of a Joke. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

NEVADA CITY, May 15.—Timothy Fitzgerald, a miner of Moore's Flat, shot an d perhaps fatally wounded James Corns, a ditch-tender, yesterday afternoon. The two had been together during the day and started by different routes for Corn's cabin. Fitzgerald carried a shotgun.

He claims as he approached the cabin a masked and armed man sprang out, commanding him to surrender. He fired, and, as the supposed robber fell, he discovered him to be Corns, who was trying to play a joke on him. Officers are investigating the affair.

Indictments at Bakersfield.

BAKERSFIELD, May 15.—The grand jury today returned an indictment against Lyons Brown for killing Dr. H. Lemke a few weeks ago; also, two indictments against J. S. Douglas for presenting fraudulent bills against the county for alleged work on the roads.

These bills were presented in September, 1894, one for \$560, one for \$1568. Only part of each bill is claimed to be fraudulent. Douglas says his bills are correct, and that the indictments are spite-work on the part of men who could not get emploment from him.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

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SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—Le Roy
G. Harvey, an insurance agent, was
today indicted by the grand jury and a
warrant for his arrest was issued immediately on two charges of embezzlement and two of grand larceny,
Judge Slack fixed the amount of bail at
\$2500 on each count, or \$10,000 in all.
The complaining witnesses were Mrs.
Emily A. P. Smith, widow of the late
George Smith, and her daughter, Miss
Maude A. Smith. They stated to the
grand jury that they had placed in the
keeping of Harvey 300 shares of the
Oakhand Gas Light and Heat Company's capital stock, valued at \$12,000.
This stock they alleged he had disposed
of for his own personal benefit.

The Oregon Going North. The Oregon Going North.

SANTA CRUZ, May 15.—The battleship Oregon arrived in port this afternoon from Santa Barbara. She encountered a severe gale, the wind blowing fifty miles an hour. She sailed an
average of seven knots an hour, and
behaved splendidly all through the
gale. She will sail for San Francisco
tomorrow morning, as she does not desire to reach San Francisco during the
night. Everybody on board is happy
over the result of the trial trip.

William Will not Challenge.

BERLIN, May 15.—Col. Primkenau von Kessell, aide-de-camp of Emperor William, said today that there was no truth in the statement attributed to Lord Lonsdale, His Majesty's representative on board the Meteor, just launched, that the new outter may challenge for the America's cup, if she proves a faster craft than the Valkyrie, III. The Meteor will only sail in European waters.

Gone Back to His Cell.

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FRESNO, May 15.—Judge Carter today sentenced Robert E. Richie to the
San Quentin Penitentiary for one year.
He pleaded guility to the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.
He had passed as an agent of the Armour Company and had been buying
hogs in this county and falling to pay
for them. Richie has served more
than forty years in the penitentiary.
He has been out only a few months.

Back Claims Against California. Back Claims Against California.

SACRAMENTO, May 15.—There was a meeting of the Board of Examiners today at which a number of back claims against the State and Tehama county were presented. These claims aggregate nearly \$5000 and were for the care of orphans since 1882. The hearing of the matter was continued and a test case will probably be made of these claims.

STOCKTON, May 15.—The Stockton people who are working for the location of the Wilmerding school in this city have made their offer to the regents of the State University of any one of the ten excellent sites for the institution, and will also make a donation of \$15,000 toward the building fund.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—The meeting of the State Homeopathic Medical Society, which has been in session for the last three days in this city, was concluded tonight and the association adjourned to meet in May next in Los Angeles.

METHODIST ELECTION.

Three Ballots for Bishop Without Choice Reached. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

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CLEVELAND (O.,) May 15.—Interest scarcely less intense than that of a national political convention centers around the election of two bishops in the Methodist General Conference. Three ballots were taken today, and one of these will not be announced until tomorrow, although the result is known in certain quarters.

The highest vote on the third ballot is that of Chaplain McCabe, and this is more than 10% short of enough to elect. The balloting may go on all day thomorrow. The vote on the third ballot is: Chaplain McCabe, 234; Rev. Dr. Earl Cranston, 203; Rev. Dr. J. E. W. Bowen, 170; Rev. Dr. J. W. Hamilton, 153; Rev. Dr. H. A. Butz, 113. In the third ballot, Dr. Cranston passed Dr. Bowen and he took second place. The Committee on State of the Church had a lively session over the report of the sub-committees on so-clological topics. Certain members of the committee very nearly quarreled, but finally good feeling prevailed. the committee very nearly quarreled, but finally good feeling prevailed. Other committees met and transacted important business in the armory. In the evening an anniversary occasion was celebrated in honor of the Epworth

important business in the armory. In the evening an anniversary occasion was celebrated in honor of the Epworth League.

In addition to the five leading candidates votes were received by others in the first ballot as follows:

T. B. Neely 47, G. W. Smith 41, J. R. Day 58, S. F. Upham 35, J. C. Hartzell 34, J. F. Goucher 32, J. M. Buckley 28, W. A. Spencer 27, F. L. Nagler 25, J. E. Berry 22, W. H. Brodbeck, G. E. Reed and J. E. Little 12 each; H. A. Cobin 10, W. V. Kelly 9, H. H. Moore Emory Miller, A. J. Anderson and J. W. Bashford 7 each; W. B. Leonard 4, W. B. Bristol, C. H. Payne, M. B. Mason and A. J. Palmer 2 each; E. H. Cook, H. J. Jackson and Merritt Hurlbut 2 each; J. M. King, A. J. Merchant, E. A. Schell, W. F. King, D. C. Huntington, C. J. North, W. A. Quayle, John Mitchell, Robert Forbes, F. F. Jewett, Robert Bentley, D. F. Pierce and J. B. Graw 1 each.

While the voting was in progress the conference managed to transact a little business. Dr. Swindell presented a resolution requesting Congress to pass a law prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors in any building under the control of the general government. This was aimed at the emigrant building at Ellis Island, and at army posts.

A recess was taken and after the recess the order of business was taken up and several services vere held. Bishop Fitzgerald called Bishop Bowman to the chair, saying it was eminently fitting that the senior bishop should preside, and the graceful act was greeted with loud applause. After the singing of a hymn, Dr. Forbes of Detroit read a portion of the scripture and Dr. W. B. Kelley offered a prayer. The first memorial was read by Dr. W. F. Whitlook on the late Dr. J. W. Mendenhall. A second memorial was read by Dr. W. F. Whitlook on the late Dr. J. W. Mendenhall. A second memorial was read by Dr. W. F. Whitlook on the late Dr. J. R. Peck. Both papers were masterly productions and held the closest attention of the sudience.

FATAL OIL CAN.

Causes the Burning of a Mother and Her Children. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

(EY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

M'DONALD. (Pa.,) May 15.—A fire entailing the loss of two lives and the probable fatal burning of five children, occurred here about 12:30 o'clock. The arge two-story dwelling on the Paterson and Santess leace was destroyed and Mrs. James Cadamire and her infant were burned to death. Five other mall children who were in the house at the time tried to aid their mother, and were all so badly burned that little hope is entertained for their recovery.

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pressed into service. A vacant store room on the north side of Court Plaza room on the north side of Court Flazza and another one on the south side, and the courtroom were transformed into impromptu morgues and hospitals for-the wounded down town, while every residence left standing in Fairview is

residence left standing in Fairview is filled with wounded.

The physicians and druggists responded promptly to the call for succor, and drugs and everything needed came spontaneously. Hundreds of ladies responded to the call of humanity, and with a score of physicians were soon at work. Color and caste disappeared in the supreme moment of we and described to the call of the suprement of we and described the suprement of wear and described the suprement of the suprement of wear and described the suprement of the

On West Houston street several are dead. A man named Bill Hamilton is dead. A man named Bill Hamilton is fearfully injured. Mr. Cehpus and child, colored, are reported dead. A child, colored, are reported dead. A young white woman, unidentified, was found dead three hundred yards south of Ely's residence. Every moment brings new victims. It is likely that as many as fifty people are dead. The victims are horribly mangled. John Ames and wife and two children are dead, and a five-year-old boy fatally injured.

A public meeting raised \$3000 for the immediate relief of the injured and the Permanent Relief Committee will take donations. It is distinctly stated that ionations from points outside of Gray son county will not be received. Den-ison has responded, and nurses and physicians from that city are here. All railroads running into the city placed special trains at the disposal of the ocal authorities and brought help from

all neighboring cities.

Reports are that the storm killed many persons in the county west of

Howe.

A large number of police and searching parties are looking for missing people. Three additional deaths have been reported up to 1 o'clock. The unknown woman at the morgue has been identified as Mrs. I. L. Burtes. Another interest of the Bellinger family has been

fied as Mrs. I. L. Burtes. Another in-fant of the Ballinger family has been found dead. Charles Weddle of Fair-view is dead, with a piece of timber driven through his body. The family of John Hamilton have been discovered, all badly injured. One of the Hamilton boys, aged 20 years, will die. Two girls, one aged 15 and one 9, were fatally injured internally. It is 9, were fatally injured, and another girl aged 11, injured internally. It is impossible to get a correct list of all the missing. Nearly every family in the district has some member that they cannot account for, and it is believed that most of the missing are dead.

A waterspout accompanied the cyclone, and the creeks are all out of their banks. Several objects, thought to be human bodies, were seen in the water, but could not be reached. The officers are making every effort to dredge all

are making every effort to dredge all creeks in the vicinity tomorrow. A great many of the wounded are in pri-vate houses scattered all over the city. It is safe to assume that at least one-quarter of the number injured will die in the next twenty-four hours. Another storm of a similar nature passed about six miles west of the city at about the same hour. Several houses were blown down and many persons in-jured. Their names cannot be obtained. At Carpenter's Bluff, it is reported six people were hurt, five seriously. Buildings and other structures in the

way were demolished. A daughter of Tom Jenkins was found lying in a pool of water. She was evidently drowned, for no marks or bruises could be found on her body.

GRIBBLE SPRINGS SUFFERS. ecial to the Gazette from Dentor special to the Gazette from Denton, Tex., says that a cyclone struck the town of Gribble Springs, eight miles north of Denton, this afternoon. Sev-eral persons were killed and many wounded so badly they cannot live. The property loss is great. Particulars are yet unobtainable.

JUSTINE STRUCK.

JUSTINE, (Tex.,) May 15.—A cyclone struck the town of Justine at 2:30 o'clock, blowing twelve houses down, killing one man, named W. J. Evans of Keller, Tex., and badly injuring fifteen others. The cyclone also did damage north of here.

QUARTER MILE OF RUIN. HOWE, (Tex.,) May 15.-Today's terrible cyclone struck this town, leaving death and ruin in its wake. The path of the cyclone at this point was a quar-ter of a mile wide. ter of a mile wide. Ten farm houses and as many barns were wrecked. Eight persons were killed outright. and many injured. Bark was ripped from the trees, and much stock was killed.

Legislative Appointment Act.
INDIANOPOLIS, May 15.—The Supreme Court today reversed the Legislative Appointment Act as unconstitutional. The decision leaves in force a law enacted by the Democratic Legislature in 1885 and the election of members to the Legislature next November will be held under it.

Woman Burned to Death. PHOENIX (Ariz.) May 15.—Catherine A. Lacy, 32 years of age, was burned to death this morning. She had arisen at a o'clock, and, in lighting the fire, had ignited the curtains. From this her clothing caught, and before help could come she was fairly cooked, dying in a few minutes.

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QUERETARO, (Mexico,) May 15.—A cave-in occurred at the Opal mines near here Wednesday and ten men were burled with earth and stones. Word was brought here from the scene of the accident that four of the miners were killed and several others injured.

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retary Rev. A. W. Gould of Unicago; treasurer, Mr. H. W. Brough of Chicago.

The following nominations were also made:
William Lochere, United States District
Judge for Minnesota, vice R. R. Neison, resigned; D. I. Murphy of Pennsylvania, now
First Deputy Commissioner of Pausions, to
Gould the Commissioner of Pausions, vice William
Locheren, resigned; Napoleon J. T. Dana of
New Hampshire, First Deputy Commissioner
of Pensions, vice D. I. Murphy, nominated
Commissioner of Pensions.

A Cincinnati, O., dispatch says Sister Rosini, the last of the sight sisters of Notre
Dame who came to this country from Beigium
in 1840, died Thursday evening, at the conventat Reading, O. She is said to have been
the oldest sister in the Roman Catholic
church. She was born in 1812, and came to
this country through the influence of the late
Archbishop Purcell. She retired from active
service several years ago on account of falling health.

ng health.

It is reported that the trustees of the Broad-It is reported that the trustees of the Broad-way Tabernacle are corresponding with Rev. Dr. John Watson, the distinguished preacher and author of Liverpool, Eng., with the in-tention of inviting him to accept the pastorate recently vacated by Rev. Dr. Stimson. Dr. Watson is partor of the Sefton Park Presby-terian Church, Liverpool. It is one of the finest churches in the city. As a preacher, Dr. Watson holds a distinguised place, and as the author of "Beside the Bonnie Briar Bush" and "Days of Auld Lang Syne" he is known throughout the English-speaking world.

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The John D. Park & Sons Company of Cincinnati has secured from Justice Truax of the Supreme Court a temporary injunction restraining the National Wholesale Druggists' Association from interfering with the plainting in their business of distributing circulars warning persons against trading with the Oh'o firm. The order to show cause why the injunction should not be made permanent is returnable May 29. The defendant association is a voluntary body. The officers of the association and 163 of the largest wholesale druggists, members of the association, are made defendants.

Edward McSweeney, secretary of the government Immigration Investigation Committee and assistant Commissioner of Immigration at New York, is in consultation with President Gompers and Secretary McGraith of the American Federation of Labor at Indianapolis, He came there, he said, to consult also read-ears on the immigration question from the point of view on labor. The investigation is determine what changes, if any, are necessary in the existing laws relating to immigration and prohibiting the importation alien laborers under contract; what difficulties have been encountered in the execution of the laws; what effect has immigration had upon wages of labor or opportunities of employment; what measures are necessary to secure a better distribution of immigrants; to what existent the padrone system exists, and what measures under existing laws can be taken to break it up.

Bennie McKee Improving. SARATOGA (N.Y.,) May 15.—Benamin Harrison McKee, who is ill with neumonia, is improving.

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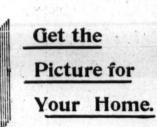
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Portland, Or.—Ly 2:00 p.m. A7 1:30 p.m.

Riverside, Redlands, San Bernardino—Ly. 8:06,
2:28 a.m., 2:30, 4:30 p.m. A7 1:30 p.m., 1:00,
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6:35 p.m.
Chino—Lv 8:00 a.m., 4:30, 5:25 p.m. Ar 8:26, 9:35 a.m., 6:35 p.m.
Covina, San Dimas, Lordaburg—Lv 8:00 a.m., 0:20, 6:35 p.m.
Covina, San Dimas, Lordaburg—Lv 8:00 a.m., 0:230, 6:25 p.m. Ar 8:50 a.m., 0:20, 6:35 p.m.
Arcadia, Monrovia, Duarto—Lv 8:00, 0:11:50 a.m., 0:11:50 a.m., 0:11:50 p.m. Ar 9:10, 6:05 p.m.
Pasadoma—Lv 7:50, 0:25, 9:25, 0:125 a.m., 11:25, 2:05 a.m., 12:10, 8:05 a.m., 0:10 p.m. Ar 9:50, 10:20 a.m., 13:10, 10:30 a.m., 0:20 p.m. Ar 12:10, 9:36 p.m.
Santa Ana—Lv 8:10 a.m., 0:20 p.m. Ar 9:05
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#### LEADING SPECIAL ARTICLES:

TALK WITH PHILIP D. ARMOUR...

FRANK G. CARPENTER continues his interview with the famous Chicago millionaire, who chats about business, fortune-making and religion. A visit to the Armour mission and the Armour institute upon which three million dollars have been spent. What Armour says about Christianity and preachers. He says his charities net him 10 per cent. His peculiar methods of mission work and how he reformed a brimstone parson. He talks of young men and their chances for fortune-making, but says that rich men are born, not made. He discusses the future of American wages and gives some clever arguments as to the big butcher vs. the little one. Some of the wonders of the packing business and why the packing monopolies succeed.

DOPE" SMOKERS ... STEPHEN CRANE deals with opium smoking in the United States, especially in New York City, where alone there are 25,000 amokers. Mr. Crane's realistic description of the lives which these slaves of the terrible drug lead, is as vivid and strong as his presentation of the struggles of the young soldier in "The Bed Badge of Courage."

THE PLANET SATURN...

This is the second of the popular articles which the noted astronomer. SIR ROBERT BALL, is writing for the series, "Romances of the Skies." The story of Saturn and its rings is always an interesting one and Sir Robert does not detract from this interest in giving the scientific truth of the great Saturnian mass. The wonderful rings of Saturn, we are told, are made up of myriads of little satellites each revolving around the planet in complete in dependence of its neighbors. Saturn is 600 times as large as our earth, but weighs only 100 times as much. A cut of Saturn as it appears through a modern telescope.

PACTED IN HODSES.

CHARACTER IN HORSES...

The herse is the noblest of animals, but there are exceptions to this general characterization. In this article James O'Brien, the famous trainer in charge of the equestrian department of the Barnum show, gives from his large experience information that will assist one in distinguishing the horses which are not noble from the noble. These indications of character are to be found in the eyes and heads of horses. He points out the signs that betray the cunning or vicious animal, and suggests ways of overcoming undesirable traits,—as for instance that of shying. This information Mr. O'Brien gives through an interviewer, MR. CLEVELAND MOFFETT.

IMPERATOR ... V. GRIBAYEDOFF contributes a vivid pen-picture from authentic sources of the imposing pageants that will accompany the coronation of the new Czar, and details of the various ceremonies representing the splender, luxury and power of the great northern empire. Mr. Gribayedeff is of Russian descent and is perhaps the best qualified person in the United States to write on this subject. The two illustrations which will go with article were drawn by Mr. Gribayedoff.

BARLY SCHOOLS AND SCHOOLMASTERS ... PROF. J. M. GUINN discourses in an entertaining way regarding the pioneer pedagoges of Los Angeles, and the methods of the "old masters" who were given to administering much "lickin" and to imparting but little "larnin." The primitiveness of the schoolhouses in the days when the Southern Metrepolis was little more than a Mexican pueblo.

WORKING WOMEN IN FRANCE ... EVA McDONALD-VALESH describes their home life from personal experience. How mothers give up their babes to be reared far from home. Husband and wife toll alike. Scanty fare and what it costs. Wine at eight cents a quart and absinthe which blazes the road to the lunatic asylum.

REPUBLICAN GAVEL ... A short description of the wooden hammer that will be used by the chairman of the Republican national committee. It was made from a log taken from the cabin in Salem, Ill., built by Abraham Lin-coln in 1832.

STATE STATUTES OF 1896 ... W. B. SHAW reviews the legislation enacted by the various States since the beginning of the present year, showing in what ways the private citizen has been affected.

HUMBLE WIVES ... Japanese girls and brides are trained for conjugal docility. Rare bursts forth a full bloomed cherry blossom, rosy cheeked, velvety

eyed, an Oriental flower full of sweetness and charm.

RIDING DOWN THE CONVICTS... The charge of the Forty-'leventh Kentucky Cavalry. A clever ruse that was resorted to when Pluck, Speed and Fire-arms proved

DEATH AND LIFE ... By Rev. George Hodges, D.D., The Times regular Sunday sermons.

THE EAGLE ... By Himself. Some salient remarks.

### WOMAN'S PAGE.

For Country Cousins ...

A model club consecrated to the physical comfort of its women members. Every city should have a town and country club similar to one that flourishes in New York. Its noble aim is to supply a convenience for women who are tired of being improved and simply ask to be comfortable.

The Woman Who Might Have Been... A sad story of George Washington's pretty young sweetheart. Save for the stupid pride of Miss Smith's hard-hearted father, the Williamsburg belle and beauty might have reigned as our first mistress of the White House.

Novel Fancy Work ... Old fashioned tapestry filling is the smartest needlework for the

The Piano Market What becomes of all the second-hand instruments.

Philanthropic Promenades...

Girls who call at the blind Asylums and take the inmates for a stroll in the sunshine.

BOYS AND GIRLS. A Savage Slash...

Fighting an infuriated bear with a pocket knife. When treed by bruin the woodsman in desperation cut clear through the beast's nostrils in an effort to save his own life.

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#### IS QUAY RESPECTABLE?

The San Francisco Call, which is the property of the new local boas of San Francisco, John D. Spreckels, takes an interior paper to task for alluding to Matthew S. Quay, Senator from the Keystone State, as a "disreputable politician." Of course, there is a "fellow feeling makes us wondrous kind," and there is nothing more logical than that Boss Spreckels should have a good word for Boss Quay. The Call recently felicitated itself that there had been found a man who had redeemed San Francisco from the rule if impure and mercenary politicians, but it was merely a substi-The San Francisco Call, which is

from the rule if impure and mercenary politicians, but it was merely a substitution Spreckels for Dan Burns and a change from King Log to King Stork. That's all.

But, to the question that forms the caption of this article. It would seem as if, judged in the light of past events, it should be answered in the negative. In 1890, when Boss Quay put up G. W. Delamater for Governor of Pennsylvania, there was a new novel in circulavania, there was a new novel in circula-Delamater for Governor of Pennsylvania, there was a new novel in circulation, called the "Silence of Dean Maitiand." It purported to give the life of a theological student who committed a crime for which another man was tried and sent to the penitentiary. The student becomes a prominent man in the church, and rises to a position second to that of a bishop, when the convict is dismissed from prison with a certificate of excellent character. The convict goes to church and hears Maitland preach. After finishing his sermon, the dean arises in the pulpit and makes a clean breast of his crime. He then invokes the blessing of Aimighty God on his congregation and falls dead in the pulpit.

pulpit.
This novel appeared in 1890, just about the time of Pennsylvania's gubernatorial election, and the Illustrated American came out with an article headed, "The Silence of Matt Quay," in which it accused him of stealing \$200,000 of State funds with relating \$200,000 of States. accused him of stealing \$200,000 of State funds with which to gamble in Wall'street, and added that Don Cameron paid out \$100,000 to cover up the defalcation for the sake of the Republican party in Pennsylvania. It also says that Quay fell on his knees before Cameron and said: "Senator, you have an eternal mortgage on my gratitude," to which Don Cameron responded: "I can only say that it is d—d poor security." eternal mortgage on my gratitude," to which Don Cameron responded: "I can only say that it is d—d poor security." This was published on the 5th of October, 1896, and profusely illustrated by Thomas Nast, but from that day to this Quay has never once attempted to sue that paper for libel, Had he done so, or had he sought some other vindication of the "thing of shreds and patches" that he calls his honor, the question which heads this article might not have been asked by any Pacific Coast newspaper.

been asked by any Pacific Coast newspaper,
Quay is like a good many other political bosses, as impotent for good as he is powerful for evil. He has done all in his power to upset McKinley's chances for the Presidency, but the will of the people has proven too strong for the ambition of all such bosses as Quay, and his paltry imitators in this State. The will of a great but imperilled people, whose industries have been stified by Anglo-maniac legislation, has called for McKinley to step upon the quarterdeck and guide the ship of state. The people are always honest, generally right, and never unpopular.

THAT SMALL LAMB.

Mary had a little lamb,

Mary had a little lamb, Its fleece she always sold. For under sound Protection's care The lambkins flourished everywh

One day the Democrats came in,

Alas the lamb,
Alas the lamb,
One day the Democrats came in,
Alas for Mary's lamb. They ripped the tariff up the back, And at McKinley took a hack, They put Protection on the rack, And ruined Mary's lamb,

Its wool was on the free list put,

Alas the lambs, Their wool was on the free list put, By Democratic "hams;" And Mary wept a weary weep, Because her lamb and other sheep

Must go to death, since wool was cheap From foreign pauper lambs. Then forty million Marys cried

'Protect the lambs, "Protect the lambs;
Protect the lambs;
Protection is our nation's pride.
Oh, please protect the lambs!
We want McKiniey's law again,
This Free Trade Act gives us pain,
We're for McKiniey, might and main,
Protection for the lamb."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

FRIDAY, May 15, 1894.

(Figures in parentheses, unless otherwise stated, give volume and page of miscellansous records containing recorded maps.)

Sherman Rage et ux to A M Powers, lot 48, Whittaker and Richardson & Ernest subdivision lots 2 and 3, Griffin's Arroyo tract, East Los Angeles (10-2,) \$500.

E A Mott to L C Dunn et ux lot 15, block H Central Park tract, \$200.

Martha Stewart to Lottie Summers, lots 1 and 2, A H Summer's resubdivision block 106, Prank M Keisey to Emma L Dimmett, lot 12, block 37, Electric Raliway Homestead tract (14-37 and 28,) \$150.

Mary Aliman to Dana B Ward, ½ interest in 20 acros, Rancho Santa Anita, \$4000.

Mrs Fannie Tower et con to R H Pinnay lot 21, Hewitt's subdivision lot 1; block S, San Pasqual tract (12-31,) 3300.

H C Gordon to R T Beauregard et al, part block 127, Santa Barbara, also part lot on Figueroa street, Los Angeles (359-85,) \$3555.

John S Evans to John St Clair, lot 12, block 2, Azusa (15-93,) \$350.

Mary F Armour to Woodsum Mason, lot 86, Packard Vineyard tract (30-88 and 90,) \$600.

Anne Herrick to Marcellus Maniey, lots 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, block B, Elliott's subdivision Ninth-street tract (30-88) and 90,) \$600.

Mary E Parker et con to K Atherine McKinstrey, 53 acres block K, Painter & Ball's subdivision, Rancho San Pasqual (42-9,) \$3800.

Elizabeth A Knapp et con to A E Alexander, lot 9, 4 seconds.

Elizabeth A Knapp et con to A E Alexander, 19. Kennedy tract (6-193) \$2800. R M Baker et ux to Martha A Wilson et con, 11. 16 and part lot 15. Baker tract (60-11.)

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activity; when even men who hold the

high office of United States Senator

"fall down" for cause, it is not surpris-

ing to find that a man of Huntington's

wealth and unscrupulous enterprise

can succeed in finding newspapers at a

distance, like the Washington Post,

which are willing to do his dirty work

for a consideration. It is, however

even in these days, a matter of sur-

prise that he can succeed in getting a

paper which depends for support on the

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tarding the growth of the city, by plac-

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ern California that, so far as we are

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H. Z. Osborne-is the only paper, great

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the seven southern countles, that has

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for hire a project directly opposed to

The citizens of Los Angeles and of

the surrounding country have passed

judgment upon the Evening Express

and its editor. It is today writhing un-

der the relentless lash of the aroused

and indignant public execration which

it has senselessly brought upon itself.

THE CALIFORNIA IRON-CLADS.

From the Santa Barbara Channel

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terest in the growth of the State and

should feel like throwing up his hat

for the big Oregon and her splendid

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armament as the Maine, Indiana and

Massachusetts. Her displacement is

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sand with her armament in

something in excess of eleven thousand

All the vessels built on the Pacific

Coast for the use of the navy were built at the Union Iron Works, about

four miles south of the ferry landings

originally the property of Peter and

James Donahue, but passed into the ands of H. J. Booth & Co., at whose

death the present corporation was organized. The plant for building iron

first vessel built by them was the Po-

mona, now on the Humboldt line. She

the Corona, built on the Delaware

But it cost \$15,000 to bring the Corona

around the Horn and clean her up after

arrival, while the Pomona had already

The war vessels built at the Union

fron Works are the Charleston and San Francisco, armored cruisers; the

Olympia, an unarmored cruiser: the

Monterey, a harbor-defense ship of the

'monitor' type; and the Oregon, the

latest and best of all their productions.

the Baltimore and Philadelphia, but, on

the voyage around the Horn to take

Admiral Gherardi, who was in com

mand of the squadron, pronounced her

the superior of her sister ships as a

Every war vessel yet built at the San

Francisco yard has so far exceeded the rate of speed demanded in the contract.

nor has any complaint of unseaworthi

is a condition of things in which every

citizen of the Coast can well afford to

It has just been discovered that some

of the stonework on the monument to Gen. Grant, in Golden Gate Park, San

Francisco, was done by convict labor. The Examiner is raising a fund to

substitute for it stonework done by free labor. The movement is deserving of cordial public support, and will no

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DEGRADED AND DISGRACED

In its preposterous claim-of having won a "great victory" in the harbor controversy, the Evening Express is kicking up a cloud of dust for the purpose of trying to divert the attention of the people from the degrading spectacle which the paper has made of itself during the past few months. As citizens of Los Angeles are poss of at least ordinary intelligence, it is not necessary to say that the puerile

From the very beginning of the recent agitation on part of the people of trial trip. For the benefit of those un-Los Angeles for an appropriation to construct a government deep-water harbor, free to all comers, at the point indorsed by the United States engineers and approved by the people, the Evening Express has persistently and stead ily done everything in its power to throw obstacles in the way of the realization of the people's wishes, and to assist a grasping corporation to enslave the commerce of Southern Calinorthern part of the State.

When the Free Harbor League, com prising many of our most worthy and public-spirited citizens, was organized for the purpose of endeavoring to sepress went out of its way to cast ridicule and abuse on the league and its members, scarcely stopping short of press did its best to make the people of Los Angeles believe that the citizens comprising the league were trying to retard the progress of Los Angeles in favor of San Francisco.

In the furtherance of its unholy Evening Express started the absurd cry of "no harbor," as a bogie to scare that portion of the people who do not look beneath the surface. The Evening Express knew, as well as any citizen of Los Angeles, that so far from opposing the progress and prosperity of the city, the members of the Free Harbor League were devoting time which many of them could ill spare, to a project which has for its object the placing of Los Angeles on a per-manently prosperous basis, independing Express was paid to lie, wherefor it lied, and lied again, as if it liked it.

The Evening Express has studiously and persistently endeavored to mislead the public in regard to the chief point issue in this controversy, which is ilca or San San Pedro?" but, "Shall" we have a free harbor, open to all lines of transportation, or shall we have a harbor controlled by a single selfish

When the Huntington crowd found that they were in danger of losing the that some desperate meas-Express cheerfully undertook the dirty task of purchasing for them, with Southern Pacific money, forged signa-tures to bogus petitions favoring Collis

Finally, when, after a hard fight by the California Senators, aided by a few other independent friends of the people in that body, the Huntington forces o local organ had the effront-imble around before a dis-ablic, like a clown in a circus, doubt receive it. SILVER SENATORS RESPONSIBLE. The gold reserve is again giving Mr.

Treasury a great deal of uneasiness On May 1 it stood at \$125,000,000, and on May 14 it had declined to \$114,000,-000-a loss of \$11,000,000 in twelve working days, or nearly \$1,000,000 per day. The last installments of the \$100,-000,000 recently borrowed have been paid, and the treasury stands face to face with the steady demand for gold, which shows no signs of abatement. It is expected that Congress will adjourn early in June, not later than the 10th of that month. There is no pros pect that any legislation for the relief of the treasury will be passed, unless the situation should assume a phase so acute as to render legislative action imperative. It is doubtful if, even under such circumstances, the free-coin age extremists of the Senate would forego their shibboleth and consent to the passage of some sensible, non-partisan measure of relief. They are so wedded to their mad idolatry that they are in a sense impervious to reason They have set their silver god upon a and claim that it had won "a glorious pedestal above that of their country, nd are willing to sacrifice the inter In these days, when so many people ests of the latter to subserve the sup are "on the make," in journalism as well as in other branches of human

posed interests of the former. • The present situation is discreditable and disgraceful. Congress has power to relieve it. It had power to do so at the beginning of the session, and sought to exercise it, but the effort failed because of the factious and indefensible opposition of the silver fanatics in the Senate, who insisted on acking a free-coinage amendment upon every measure designed to relieve the treasury. The mischievous and vicious opposition of these extremists made the last bond issue of \$100,000,000 necessary. It could easily have been avoided had these men been broad-minded statesmen rather than the narrow dev tees of a single idea.

Under existing conditions the administration had no alternative but to issue bonds or permit the honor and credit of the country to go down in disgrace No matter what had led up to thos conditions, the administration had at disposal no means of relief but the issue of bonds. The blame therefore, rests with the silver fanatics of the Senate, who persistently blocked

all remedial legislation. What will be done in the presen emergency? If the gold reserve should continue to decline at the present rate, it would soon be depleted, and long be fore the December session of Congress (unless more money were borrowed) the national credit would be destroyed specie payments would be suspended, our currency dishonored, all values un settled, and bankruptcy would prevail

The administration would, of cours avert these dire results by borrowing more gold, and that course will probably become necessary, for there is no good reason to suppose that the silver fanatics will abate their fanaticis sufficiently to permit business legisla-tion on business principles.

It is said that President Cleveland will probably send an urgent message to Congress, before its adjournment, relieve the situation and avert further bond issues. But the appeal will no doubt be in vain, because of the-pigheaded and short-sighted obstinacy of the Senatorial silverites. These men have abused, and are abusing, the power which they possess to block legislation. Upon them must rest the responsibility for whatever grave results may ensue for want of remedial legis-

RESULTS OF FREE WOOL

Foreign wool continues to pour into the United States in enormous quantitons, but will reach nearer twelve thou- ties. The amount imported during the months following the repeal of the McKinley law aggregated over 400,-000,000 pounds, against 150,000,000 ounds in the twenty months preceding the repeal of the McKinley law.

shipped to Europe at prices below those of Australian wool produced by conwork it into cloth for Americans to buy, while American mills are idle and the charity of their friends. Those are the blessings of "reform," and Democrats wonder that Americans do not appreciate them.

The wool of Colorado brings less

than 11 cents on the average of vari-

ous qualities, against about 20 cents five years ago; the wool of Montani brings less than 9 cents, against about 20 cents, and the wool of Itah and Wyoming 10 cents, against 19.4. The silver Senators, who defeated the Emergency Tariff Bill, which, in part, the duty on wool, need not wonder that voters think ill of them It is estimated that Utah and Wvo price of their wool raised this year, at latest quotations, and Montana also Colorado and New Mexico about \$1,350,000, and the Northern States beabout \$6,800,000, reckoning only the loss in price on the diminished quantity men who think that those Republican Senators who voted to prolong free

It will now be in order for the City Council to begin to gather statistics for the use of the experts who are to than seven and three-fourth miles from Santa Monica was altogether too mod-

tate to everybody else about money are still entitled to be classed as Re

est; also that the city is growing to-ward Santa Monica at a much faster rate than that mentioned of two mile every sixty days. In fact, unless the have grown right over Santa Monica into the ocean, so that there will be no com for a harbor at that point.

The San Francisco papers are congratulating the people of that city on the result of the school census, which shows an increase of school children since 1890 of 10,394. This, they estimate, represents a gain of 35,000 in habitants in the past six years. A conservative estimate of the increase in the population of Los Angeles dur-ing the same period, excluding the recently-annexed districts, gives us a similar increase, namely, from 50,000 in 1890 to 85,000 in 1896. Should this relative growth be maintained, it will not be so many years before Los Angeles catches up with the largest city

The alleged Allison boom is "coffined, abined, cribbed and confined" in rather striking manner. It is confined to Mr. Allison's home State, Iowa Minnesota, on the west by South Dakota and Nebraska, on the south by and Wisconsin. All of these States contiguous to Iowa have instructed their legates to the national convention for McKinley. The Allison boom is thus hemmed in so effectually that it is doubtful if it can escape to St. Louis.

The San Francisco Examiner of Thursday publishes a fac-simile of a portion of one of the bogus petitions got up by the Los Angeles Express petition bureau in behalf of Huntington's attempted steal. The names were apparently all written by the same hand, though an evident attempt was made to disguise the chirography. "Peter Cooper," "Sam Jones" "John Smith" were among the classic names signed to this monumental fraud.

The Populist State Convention, held at Sacramento, adopted the following esolution in favor of the people's deep-

"We extend our hearty sympathy to the people of Los Angeles in the strug-gle to have a deep-sea harbor con-structed at San Pedro in accordance with the reports of government engi-eers and to prevent the expenditure of \$3,000,000 of the people's money for the private use and benefit of the Southern Pacific Company of Kentucky at the private wharf at Santa Monica."

Cyclones, cloud-bursts, thundertorms, etc., have already entered upon the summer campaign for 1896 in the Eastern States. Persons who are disposed to complain of the trifling dismforts of California weather should keep a record of these things and be convinced that we are living in the best all-the-year-round climate on earth.

The amount of time and space the Democratic newspapers of the country Maj. McKinley is highly commendable but their efforts show them to be the rawest kind of apprentices. They ought to try their hand on the construction of a national hearse; they will have use for it next November.

If President Cleveland were less optimistic when he should be more pessimistic, and more pessimistic when he should be less optimistic, what a splendid specimen of the optimus-

"The brass will crash, and the bands will play," when off for St. Louis they go sailing away, to nominate McKinley for election next November.

(Washington Star, May 8:) A private dispatch states that no announcement of the withdrawal of Mr. Morton from the Presidential candidacy will be made this week. The conference which was to have been held between Mr. Platt and his lieutenants today or tomorrow is to occur on Sunday. The impression is that Mr. Morton is strongly inclined to withdraw, and that Mr. Platt is exerting all his influence to prevent his doing so. It is doubted that Platt will be able to keep Morton in the attitude of a candidate very much longer.

The talk of Tracy for Vice-President is merely speculation without significance. His name, like the names of a dozen others, is mentioned merely by way of suggestion. As yet there is nothing substantial behind any of these suggestions.

It is understood that the McKinley people will select Senator Thurston of Nebraska as permanent chairman of the national conventian. Mr. Thurston is one of the most active and effective of the McKinley leaders, and is particularly well qualified to preside over a large assembly.

Reed Remains Dumb.

(Washington Special to the Chicago Times-Herald, May 3:) Speaker Reed is absolutely dumb when approached on the subject of his acceptance of a Vice-Presidential nomination with McKindey in the first place. When the idea was first suggested to him he was speechless with indignation that any one should so much as dream of such a possibility. Now his refusal to discuss the proposition is put on a different ground. Inquiries are put off on the plea that it would be "manifestly indelicate" for him to say anything about the action of the Republican National Convention. He is not yet prepared to make a public acknowledgment that he is out of the race for the Presidency, and any expressions from him on the Vice-Presidency would be tantamount to a confession of defeat.

(New York Mail and Express:) The favorite sons of individual States are all as dwarfs in comparison with the favorite son of the United States. He is a giant whose splendid figure casts a shadow that reaches from the Green Mountains of Vermont to the Golden Gate of the Pacific.

No Amateur Wanted.

(Detroit Free Press) She. Are you sure I am the first woman you ever loved?

He. I swear it.
She. Then you may go. After you have obtained some experience, come to me again.

### FIELD OF POLITICS.

Senator Quay Expresses His Willingness to Withdraw

So as to Make Maj. McKinley's Nomination Unanimous.

nator Brice Issues a Circular-Indiana Democrats Want Gov. Mat-thews for Their Candidate. Cleveland Hopeful.

(Washington Special to the Chicago Times-Heraid, May 8:) It is now more than probable that all of the Presidential candidates in the Republican party will withdraw before the meeting of the St. Louis convention, and that but one mame will be presented to that conven-tion as a candidate for President. The most significant feature of the situa-tion is the change in the attitude of Senator Quay. The Pennsylvania Sen-ator is easily the foremost leader of the opposition to McKinley, and has been from the start. The other candidates and managers have all the time placed great confidence in Mr. Quay's

been from the start. The other candidates and managers have all the time placed great confidence in Mr. Quay's judgment. Until today Mr. Quay has advised all the other candidates to hold their forces well in hand, and has declared that the fight was not yet over; but in conference today with the managers of Reed and Allison, Mr. Quay spoke in substance as follows:

"Though it is not as yet necessary for us publicly to concede McKinley's nomination, the probabilities are we shall have to do so in a few days. I suggest that we keep still until all the delegates to the national convention have been elected. Then we should cause a careful, searching inquiry to be made as to the preferences of the delegates, and if a majority are found irrevocably ited to McKinley, as seems probable, I see no reason why any name but his should be presented to the convention. The most we could do would be to force Mr. Hanna to spend his money keeping his forces in line and guarding against surprises. It is questionable whether we ought to do that, inasmuch as Gov. McKinley's nomination is inevitable if the preferences of the delegates have been correctly reported, and it would be a good thing for the party if the nomination were made without opposition and with unanimity. All bitterness could thus be healed at the convention instead of afterward, and the party who appear to be for McKinley, will be better satisfied if they are able to secure the nomination of their favorite without further opposition, and withdrawal of the candidates would save some of us a heap of trouble."

Senator Quay's suggestion was well received by the friends of the other candidates, and it will probably be save some of us a heap of trouble."

Senator Quay's suggestion was well received by the friends of the other candidates, and it will probably be acted upon. If, upon investigation, McKinley is found to have a clear majority of the delegates instructed or pledged to his support, the chances are the other candidates will withdraw and permit the nomination to be made by acclamation.

(Washington Special to New York Mail and Express:) Senator Brice has sent out to all office-holders in Ohio, through his private secretary here, a circular letter requesting them to see that only sound-money men are elected as delegates to Chicago. The letter says that there is a chance for the nomination of ex-Gov. Campbell, and that Senator Brice wants delegates, who are harmonious in their opinions with him. The letter concludes with the following: "It is important that you see that as much assistance comes from your neighborhood and your county as possible. Senator Brice believes that the nomination of ex-Gov. McKinley for President on the Republican ticket leaves New York, Connecticut and New Jersey in the doubtful list, and that with those States but a small addition will be required to defeat McKinley."

Quay's Sensible Suggestion. Quay's Sensible Suggestion.

(Chicago Post.) Senator Quay comes forward with a sensible suggestion. Discussing the prospects of Republican Presidential candidates yesterday at Washington, he is reported to have said in substance that, inasmuch as Maj. McKinley's nomination is inevitable, if the preference of the delegates have been correctly reported, it would be a good thing for the party if the nomination were made without opposition and with unanimity. . . In the interest of Republican party harmony and for the sake of saving the "other candidates" a deal of trouble, the "other candidates" should with-

Beaten the Record.

(From Maj. Handy's Point of View in Chicago Times-Herald, May 8:) Prophedy has become fact. Estimates are out of date. Platt may argue that a majority is a minority and Clarkson that two and two make three, but by actual count 512 of the 922 delegates who will constitute the St. Louis convention are now of record with instructions or pledges to vote for William McKinley.

The great protectionist has beaten the record in a race for the Presidential nomination. The only precedents at all in line are Lincoln's and McClelland's in 1884 and Cleveland's in 1888, and it must be borne in mind that Lincoln and Cleveland had each served a term in the White House, and both were intrenched with the support of an army of officeholders. Besides, they were bitterly opposed up to the eve of the convention, and in Lincoln's case we were in the midst of war. Six weeks before the convention McKinley is assured of the nomination, and the only open question is that of ballot or acclamation.

Only a Burchard or an act of Providence can rob the people of their choice. But Mr. McKinley's managers must be

Only a Burchard or an act of Providence can rob the people of their choice. But Mr. McKinley's managers must be wary, keep their men in line and call the roll every night. Men like Reed, Allison and Quay are too honorable to resort to treachery, but anything from piracy to kidnaping is considered fair in politics by some of the men who have been trading in the name of the Allied Bosses.

(Toledo Blade:) In a political convention, when it becomes apparent that a candidate has a majority of the votes and is certain of nomination, the opposition moves to make the nomination by acclamation, everybody climbs on the wagon, the motion goes through with a whirl everybody shakes hands with everybody else, the party ranks are closed up and the contest is then waged for party supremacy at the polls.

the people and who continue to declare that McKinley cannot and will not be nominated. These men know they are beaten, and they will show their political wisdom by joining in the acclaim for the Onto man and bowing submissively to the will of the people

Indians's Democratic Favorite Son.
(Indianapolis Special to New York
Commercial Advertiser, May 8:) The
Indiana Democrats propose to eater
Gov. Matthews in the Fresidential ace
as a "favorite son" and put him on
either the head or tail of the national
ticket. They want him at the head, of
course, but would be satisfied to gat
him second place. Just as soon as a
became known that Gen. Harrison was
virtually retired to private life for
good and McKinley indorsed by the
Republican convention the Democratic
leaders began to act. Not a minute was
lost. All the leaders I have seen today,
among whom were Gov. Matthews,
Mayor Thomas Taggart, the old chairman of the State Central Committee;
ex-Congressman W. D. Bynum, and
the Sentinel manager, agree in saying
that the Democrats can carry Indiana
this fall and compass McKinley's defeat in the State.

(Washington Special to the Chicago imes-Herald, May 8:) President Cleve-

wational convention at Cincago will declare against the coinage of free silver."

While some of the Cabinet members do not share the President's confidence, the prevailing impression in administration circles is that the fight will be won. It has not escaped the attention of observers here that the President and his friends are playing the game of politics with unusual shrewdness. In one respect they are imitating the example of the politicians who have been trying to defeat McKinley, though with better justification, and, it is to be hopped, with more fortunate results. Orders have been issued from this city that in States where Democratic leaders havethreatened to bolt the action of the Chicago convention in case that convention declares against free silver, contesting delegations shall be elected. These orders will be obeyed by the sound-money men in many States. Already there are contesting delegations in Texas, Colorado and Nebraska, and there will be contests in South Carolina. Where Tillman has publicly uttered his threat to bolt, and perhaps other Southern States.

Mr. Manley Hopes.

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(Washington Special to New York Mail and Express, May 8:) If the Presidential Trust imagines that it can throw the votes pledged to Mr. Reed to any compromise candidate on the first ballot, the trust is mistaken. Hon. Joseph H. Manley, who has charge of Mr. Reed's campaign, said to the Mail and Express correspondent today that the Speaker would remain in the contest to the very end.

"He will not withdraw," said Mr. Manley, "but will be put in nomination and will be voted for. He could not withdraw with honor now, because a number f States have formally and sincerely put him in nomination for the Presidency, and, having accepted such a nomination, his name will be presented at St. Louis, and will be voted upon." Mr. Manley stated most emphatically that Mr. Reed would not accept a nomination for the Vice-Presidency. On this subject, Mr. Manley said: "I see that Gen. Benjamin F. Tracy is spoken of most highly for that place, and I consider that he would make a most excellent Vice-President, but," he added, "I do not think the nomination can be made, because Red and Tracy would be a ticket composed too much of the East." Thus it will be seen that Mr. Manley still considers Mr. Reed's nomination possible.

The Work of Exemies.

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(Chicago Times-Herald, May 8:) The Cabinet slates which have been kindly made up for Maj. McKinley and which are going the rounds of the newspapers are the work of his enemies. While embracing some good names, they are constructed as a whole with a view to injuring McKinley's candidacy. Thus Hanna and Grosvenor, both from Ohio, are put on to encourage the idea that Ohio will have the best plums, and that the Foraker people will have no share in the patronage. Kerens is down for a Cabinet portfolio to rile his rival, Chauncey M. Filley. David Martin, Quay's worst antagonist, is assigned Pennsylvania's portfolio, Nobody would ever think seriously of David for the Cabinet. M. H. de Young, the able and distinguished California editor, is assigned a seat in the Cabinet because the mere mention of his name is like a red rag to a bull with many Californians whom his great newspaper has antagonized. Senator Thurston and ex-Senator Clayton are used in the same way to foment factional strife. Cabinet speculations at this stage of the game are all rot, and in general may be dismissed as devices of the enemy. The Work of Enemies.

Tom Platt's Reserves. Cleveland World.) When a man and politician like Mr. Platt, begins to talk it means something. It does not generally mean what he says. It may, and generally does, mean exactly the contrary. For Mr. Platt never begins to brag until he has to. And as long as things are going his way, he never has to. So Mr. Platt's talk about the defeat of Mr. McKiniey at St. Louis means that Mr. Platt has had to fall back on his reserves, his body guard, his forlorn hope. For that is what brag and boastfulness are to a man like Mr. Platt, who always wins by doing something, not by saying something. Only when his hand loses its cunning does he take to his tongue.

New York Special to Chicago Tribune, May 3:) It is a case of knockdown and drag-out between the McKiniey supporters and the Platt machine for the control of the Brooklyn delegation to the Republican National Convention. At the conference of delegates two days ago, the sentiment for McKiniey was very strong and the delegates came near pledging themselves to his support. Mayor Wurster of Brooklyn, journeyed to Albany to tell Gov. Morton seven of the ten delegates would probably oppose him at St. Louis. What reply Gov. Morton made is not known. Four delegates will probably follow Platt's direction, three are openly for McKiniey, and three, including Mayor Wurster, are doubtful. The McKiniey delegates say that within a week they will convert Jacob Worth, a Platt leader in Kings county. Terminal Facilities.

Terminal Facilities.

(Cincinnati Times-Star:) An interesting phase of the Republican situation is the caim succeeding the storm of opposition to McKinley on the part of the so-called Presidential trust. Various candidates are now in a quiet, pensive mood. It is a matter of some significance that Senator Quay's candidacy has reached the stage of negotiation. Another notable incident is a division in the New York delegation. This breach in the Morton ranks can hardly be repaired; the probability is that it will widen, despite anything Platt can do to hold his forces together. He is likely soon to follow the example of Quay by seeking shrewdly to make the best of embarrassing circumstances. The competitors of McKinley—we should say the late competitors—have nothing to do now but to adjust themselves to conditions brought on by the triumphant progress of the

cedes McKinley's nomination except Senator Quay and the managers of the Reed boom. Even Senator Lodge, who is one of the speaker's closet friends and has been assisting Mr. Manley in the management of his canvass, said this afternoon that the Ohio man would undoubtedly be nominated unless Production of the control of th

from doing do. A consultation of Republican leaders has been called to consider the situation tomorrow and Sunday, and Mr. Platt hopes with their assistance to keep up the Morton banner until the convention meets.

Disinterested politicians are certain that the anti-McKinley faction will not be able to muster more than 350 votes, and even if the national committee seated all of the contestants who are opposed to McKinley, they would not be able to control the convention. From this time on, however, it may be expected that the syndicate of shrewd politicians who are determined to defeat McKinley, will have their eyes and ears wide open and busy themselves in laying wires and setting traps in the hope of upsetting Mr. Hanna's admirable organization.

CAMPAIGN SHOTS. (Toledo Blade:) McKinley seems to be the one universal Bill receivable. (Florida Times-Union:) Matt Quay is indoubtedly picking out a soft place to

(Chicago Times-Herald:) Mr. Reed's boom seems to have been switched off the Maine track.

the Maine track.
(Chicago Post.) The States that have
not instructed for McKinley are beginning to look lonely.
(Toledo Blade:) Mr. Platt has evidently spent too much time in giving
advice to other States.

(Syracuse Post:) Ex-Gov. Billy Russell's notion seems to be that the way to get there is to announce that you are not going there.

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(Chicago Tribune:) Even Maj, McKingley must be willing to admit that the country knows what it wants and is able to ask for it.

(Toledo Blade:) The Syracuse Post says, "McKinley stole a base in Illinois." Why, dear sir, he fook the whole field and all the players.

(Chicago Tribune:) Mr. Platt con-

(Chicago Tribune:) Mr. Platt con-inues to express great confidence, and the McKinley leaders continue to assert that he is a confidence man.

(Washington Star:) Mr. Platt's assurances to Mr. Morton cannot at this time go beyond the reminder that while there is life there is hope.

(Arizona Republican:) The Republican campaign will be all the stronger from the fact that its candidate was nominated by the people in spite of the bosses.

(Toledo Blade:) Mr. Reed is probably not yet in a mood to make it unani-mous, but there are a good many who think that that is the best thing for (New York Mail and Express:) The "original Cleveland man" has not yet been heard from, but when he speaks his communication will bear a White-House postmark.

(Kansas City Star.) Having nominated and elected McKinley, it is believed that Mr. Grosvenor will address himself in the near future to the work of annexing Hawaii.

(Chicago Times-Heraldt) The only explanation for Gen. Clarkson's daily bulletin of fanciful figures is the fear that the Allison delegates may make a break for the band wagon.

Chicago Record:) The more we look at it the more we are convinced that J. S. Clarkson cannot be nominated for Postmaster-General at the forthcoming St. Louis convention.

(New York Mail and Express.) Let us not mistake the deplorable predicament of poor Mr. Platt, the destitute and uneasy boss who has no second choice. It is his misfortune rather than his fault.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

A Daily Resume of Events for Your On May 16 of the years named occurred the ollowing important events in the world's his-HOLIDAYS.

Saints Brendan, Abdjesus, Abdas, Ubaldus, limon Stock. 1623—Sir William Petty.
1641—Sir Dudley North, author of "An Arcount of Turkey."
1801—William H. Seward.
DEATHS. BIRTHS. .

1277-Pope John XXI.

James Geddes, Syracuse, N. Y.
 1885 — Admiral John J. Almy, U.S.N., retired.
 1895 — Duke of Hamilton.
 1895 — Peter H. Burnett, first Governor of California.

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OTHER EVENTS.

1568—Mary Queen of Scots imprisoned by Queen Elizabeth.

1770—Louis XVI of France married to Maris Antoinette.

1785—Batavian republic proclaimed in Holland.

1811—Navai conflict between United States frigate Fresident and British sloop Little Belt.

1871—Column of Piace Vendome, Paris, pulled down by Communists.

1874—One hundred persons killed by bursting of dam of Ashield reservoir, Williamsburg, Mass.

1881—Conking and Platt of New York resigned their seats in the Senate.

1875—Free prominent Nihlists executed in St. Petersburg.

1883—Mrs. Weilder of Lancaster, Pa., abstained from food fifty-four days.

1890—San Diego River, Callifornia, changed its course.

1891—Twenty-two blocks burned in Muskegon, Mich.; loss, \$500,000.

1892—Lockout of 30,000 granite-cutters in New England.

1892—Government Gen. Rodii killed by his own troops, Venezuela.

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1894—Fire in picnic grounds, New York; fifty horses killed. horses killed.
Count Guichowski appointed Premier of
Austria.
Greater New York Bill failed to pass
Senate.
New York Senate Bribery Investigation
Committee exonerated Senators Raines,
Robertson and Coggospali.

The Gist of It.

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#### THE WEATHER.

DAILY BULLETIN.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, May 15.—At 5 o'clock am, the barometer registered 29.32; at 5 p.m., 29.53. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 53 deg, and 55 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 24; 5 p.m., 43. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 3 miles. Maximum temperature, 70 deg.; minimum temperature, 50 deg. Character of weather, 5 a.m. parity cloudy; 5 p.m., clear.

Barometer reduced to see level.

# The Comes

ALL ALONG THE LINE,

The school census just completed in Pomona shows gratifying results. There are 2048 children under 17 years of age. On the basis that one-third of the inhabitants of the city are children, this would give Pomona a population of 6144, twice that of the town when the last census was taken.

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The original endowment of Pomona. College was \$25,000, which was to be retained only if the endowment could be raised to \$100,000 by January L. 1897. A gift of \$25,000 has just been made to the institution in memory of the late wife of one of the faculty, and the friends of the college feel confident the necessary sum will be raised be-

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There should be no inferences drawn There should be no inferences drawn from the circumstance of a Democratic political "boss" from San Francisco being attended, while abroad, by a puglist of some reputation, "Knock downs and drag out." have been known to occur in the field of Democratic politics, but this rude method of suasion has been practically supplanted by the more civilized "deal" and the ever-effective "combination."

The murder of a Chinese woman in Santa Ana has thoroughly aroused the people of the town, both yellow and white, and every effort is being made to unearth the highbinders supposed to have murdered this slave of a rival-tong. As the body lay in its coffin yes-terday, attired in rich oriental raiment,

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resourceful little band which made the resourceful little band which made the celebration the success it was. On the day of this last meeting the officials of the flesta of 1896 will go back into private life. But there will be no interregnium. By the time the committee meets, the presidents of the Chamber of Commerce, Merchants' Association and Board of Trade will each have appointed ten men as members of the pointed ten men as members of the Committee of Thirty for the fiests of 1897, and within a month preparations will be actually under way for next year's celebration.

WATER ON THE OIL.

The Sheriff's Office Prevents Deter-

A stream of oil marked the Broadway entrance to the Courthouse grounds yesterday morning. A load of oil had been sent to the machinery building and the engineer refused to receive it on account of too much water in the

oil.

The teamster was determined and had it not been for the opportune appearance of Under Sheriff Clements and Deputy Sheriff Guy Woodward, the soft-would have been unloaded in the face of the protest. The tank wagon stood on the grounds during the night with the above results. with the above results.

Yellow Butter.

Detective Bowler of the Southern Pacific tells an amusing little story of something that happened on the train for San Francisco last Monday on which Bowler was a passenger. "Yellow" Parker and his pal, James Brown, the two colored men who were sentenced to San Quentin for two and five years respectively, for robbing a freight car at Saugus were being taken to States Prison on the same train. Both men were manacled together. "Yellow" accused Brown of being a white-livered fellow, the latter retailated by splitting in his accuser's face. "Yellow" then reached up and put his manacled hands around Brown's neck and butted hands around Hrown's neck and butted hands around Hrown's neck and butted deputy. Yellow Butter.

At New York Metels.
From Los Angeles, Mrs. R. H. Moght, is at the Albermarle; L. Steens at the St. Cloud. From San lego, C. B. Richards, St. Denis. From Isadena, A. R. Dodworth, Grand

#### AT THE PLAYHOUSES.

OS ANGELES THEATER. The two LOS ANGELES THEATER. The two lat performances of "A Trip to China-lown" will be given at the Los Angeles Theater this afternoon and tonight. The jolly play went off with great elan last night, the audience being kept in roars of merriment throughout the

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Louis F. Gottschalk, a Los Angeles boy, and a composer of note, is the musical director of the Hoyt company now appearing at this house, and several of his compositions are features of the performance, notably "Keep a Inchin' Along," a rousing negro melody with a breesy and rhythmical chorus, which receives numerous encores nightly.

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Owing to a mistake in the printing of the programme at the Los Angeles theater, the character of Flirt, Mrs. Guyer's Maid, in "A Trip to Chinatown" was credited to Miss Amella Stone. The character is protrayed by Miss Sadle MacDonald, who deserves all the credit given that portraiture in yesterday's notice, she having created the character and played it the entire season.

ORPHEUM. The big bill is drawing the people in crowds to the Orpheum this week, and the usual great audiences may be anticipated at the matinee this afternoon and tonight. The show is one of the best of the year, every number on the programme containing merit of no mean order.

COMING ATTRACTION. "The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown" will appear at the Los Angeles Theater

appeared.

The story of the play, although farcical, is consistent; the ludicrous incidents of the play are brought about naturally in the embarrassments of a British cavalry officer, who has been forced to don feminine attire in order to avoid prosecution and arrest.

#### A BARRICADED HOUSE.

At No. 1312 Olive street is a house that is in a constant state of defense; the occupants guard their goings-out and comings-in and are careful to keep the doors and windows closed and fastened against intruders. The cause of all this extreme caution will probably be explained in court in a short time.

#### SCHOOLMASTER'S CLUB.

Delightful Gathering at the Home of Superintendent Foshay.

Schoolmasters' Club of this city

The Schoolmasters' Club of this city met at the residence of Superintendent J. A. Foshay at No. 1341 Scarff street, last evening. All the members of the Board of Education, and all the male teachers of the city were invited to attend, and most of them were present. President T. J. Phillips occupied the chair, and E. L. Hutchinson was kept busy as the secretary. Eighteen new members joined the club. A short but excellent programme was provided by way of literary entertainment. F. S. Haffold read a poem of his own, W. S. Frew sang a solo, a poem by Edward Doiland was read by J. B. Millard, and E. L. Hutchinson read a paper which was an elaborate and very humorous excuse for not being prepared to read a pedagogical essay. He gave a resume of a busy day's work that might have better occupied a week.

For an hour or more the club and its visitors sang college songs and other and less classical melodies. Light refreshments were served.

Mr. Fulton of the Board of Education

and less classical melodies. Light re-freshments were served.

Mr. Fulton of the Board of Education thanked the club for it courtesies to the board. Kev. Mr. Pitman made some humorous remarks concerning school matters. The club will hold its next meeting at the residence of E. P. Rowell, No. 121 East Thirty-second street, on the third Friday in June.

A Mexican Hay Thief.

A howling mob of Chinamen threat, ened to annihilate a Mexican hay thief last night on Main street near the vegetable gardens, but Officer Singleton arrived on the scene and rescued the man before they used any violence. It seems that the man had stolen a quantity of hay from one of the Chinamen's barn yard and was making off with it when he was seen by one of the Celestials, who immediately gave the alarm. At the station the fellow gave the iname of Jesus Robles. He was charged with petty larceny, and will explain matters to Justice Morrison today.

Fourth of July Committee.

The Executive Committee which has in charge the coming Fourth of July celebration, will meet this evening at 7:80 o'clock at room 3. California Bank Building. All arrangements for a glorious celebration will be started, and from now on the committee head-quarters will be a scene of great activity.

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\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* LEASED WIRES.

Journal's News Service. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

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BOSTON, May 15.—The Boston Journal, one of the oldest and most influential newspapers in New England, publishing morning, evening and Sunday editions under the directorship and principal ownership of W. D. S. Ohler, E. S. Draper and Stephen O'Meara, has closed contracts for membership in the Associated Press and will begin to receive tomorrow the double leased-wire service of the Associated Press. The Journal, in its issue tomorrow, will say

from New York, which is the great col-lecting center to New England, have been limited to correspondence on one special wire, but when the Journal be-gins to take the new report tonight, it will have the full and exclusive use of two wires into Boston. This double-wire service comes with the accession of the Journal to the Associated Press and it will be permanent."

In Memory of H. W. Latham.

A special meeting of the board of directors of the Los Angeles Board of Trade was held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the call of the president, on account of the death of H. W. Latham, one of the attorneys of the Board of Trade, which took place in Pasadena on Thursday last. At the request of the board, the president appointed a committee to draft resolutions of respect to the memory of the deceased, and to make such arrangements as may be necessary for the attendance of the board at the funeral. No funeral arrangements will be made until the arrival of Calhoun Latham. H. W. Latham's brother, from New York.

Tripped the Women. In Memory of H. W. Latha

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Two little fox-terriers fastened together with a long chain created some
excitement on Spring street last night
by running around pedestrians. A
number of women had their ankles encircled by the chain. Officer Vignes arrested the canines and took them to
police headquarters, where they are
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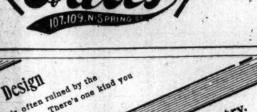
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every way; 39c for this day.
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Best quality of Domestic Ginghams; the quality that always sells for 12½c; today's price 5c a yard.

Organdies and batistes. Goods that always sell for 16

cents a yard. Today we will sell a choice lot of the newest things in the house for 5 cents a yard. A new-lot of dimities will be included in the lot. An excellent opportunity to buy shirt waist materials for less than you ever saw them

Ladies' trimmed sailor hats in white, black, navy and brown. Trimmed, ready to wear. 25 cents will be the price

for this day. Here is a black dress goods bargain. We have taken 20 pieces of the choicest goods and the choicest styles that always sells for a dollar a yard and will sell the choice today for 75 cents. Best goods. Best styles. The price is the

lowest ever named for the same class of goods. About 40 pieces of fine silks in plain stripes and in the latest Persian and Dresden effects. The price has been from 50 to 75 cents a yard. Today they will be sold for 35 cents

a yard. Gold and silver belts made from the real gold braid. Something that will not tarnish. 25 cents will be the price. 75 cents has been the price.

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American Lye, 10c per can, 3 for 25c.
Red Seal Lye, 10c per can, 3 for 25c.
Philadelphia Lye, 10c per can, 3 for 25c.

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Fifty cents round tries.

Fifty cents round trip on Terminal Rallway to Long Beach and San Pedro, Good going Saturday and Sunday, re-turning Monday. turning Monday.

Preaching by B. F. Coulter in the Broadway Church of Christ, opposite the Courthouse, Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:45 p.m.

Green corn, cucumbers, asparagus, cherrics, berries and apricots at the Golden Eagle Market, No. 329 South

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Rev. Walker will preach, 2:30 and 7:30 clock tomorrow, Penjel Hall.
First Baptist Church announcements.

Philip Lee was arrested on Main treet last night by Deputy Constable fugnemi on a charge of disturbing the cace. He was quarreling with a wo-nan, and using vulgar language. C. H. Pease was treated at the Re-celving Hospital last night for a mashed finger. He said he was going up stairs when a man on his way down slipped and fell and ground his heel on Pease's digit.

on Pease's digit.

F. M. Miller of Pasadena was locked up on a charge of battery last night by Deputy Constable Mugnemi. It is claimed that Miller struck two girls and knocked one of them down in a crib in Ferguson alley.

A new mining district has been formed, called the Tauquitz Mining District, in the San Jacinto hills. L. Hansen, the president, is at present at the United States Hotel, for the purpose of buying machinery.

irpose of buying machinery.

Mrs. Maria White, the old woman for made three attempts to end her fe, is still at the Receiving Hospid. There has been but slight change a her condition, and she still remains it a state of semi-unconsclousness.

Detective Steele yesterday investifated the story told to the police the ight before by Ben Heaton to the feet that he had been stabbed and obbed. The detective soon discovered that Heaton had been cut in a fight the feet the Pico House.

The members of the board of trus-

The Members of the board of trus-es of the News and Working Boys' tome Society of Lbs Angeles, express leir thanks for a generous cash dona-on for the building fund, from the pyrists' department of the County Re-order's office of this city.

The May number of the Normal Ex-ponent, published by the pupils of the Los Angeles Normal School, is replete with interest. There are articles in the "Prologue to the Canterbury Tales," John Burroughs, the punisament of children, the teaching of drawing, the study of a typical flower, basket ball, children's voices, Mendelssohn and varied other topics, as well as personal and news columns.

Goes to Elsinore.

IF. Francis, president of the La Committee, has been afflicted remains ever since the celement. He will go to Elsinore today if the mineral baths will not a beneficial effect. He will be acanied by Mrs. Francis. They will eturn for some days.

Normal School Trustees. special dispatch to The Times from amento says that Gov. Budd has bitted Percy R. Wilson and J. Ion Brooks trustees of the State all School at Los Angeles, vice A. avidson, holding at the pleasure of Governor, and John Mansfield, deed.

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[RAILROAD RECORD.]

TO MAINTAIN RATES.

ROADS WILL HAVE TO FORM NEW AGREEMENT.

e Western Roads That Are Willing to Carry Bicycles Free of Charge, Others Are Not-Pasen-gers Traveling Southward by Boat.

An Associated Press dispatch from Chicago says the Western Trunk lines have failed to hit upon any method of keeping up their tariff rates beyond having the assurance of all the roads in the association that they will do their best to maintain rates hereafter. This has been tried many times before and the result has been that the same old routine of calling another meeting and having all the roads promise once more that they never will do so again, has had to be followed out. It will be tried once more and the chances are that it will meet with the same success in the future that it has received in the past.
There seems to be no way in which the
western roads can keep up the standard of freight rates at the present time ansome of the general officers of the roa are in favor of trying an entirely nev TRANSPORTING BICYCLES.

CHICAGO, May 15.—It is likely that a meeting of the Western Passenger As-sociation will be called in the near future sociation will be called in the near future to consider the question of transporting bicycles. The majority of western roads declare themselves opposed to the free transportation of the wheels, but there are two or three of the smaller roads that are in favor of it and they will have the matter brought before the general meeting of the Western Passenger Association, to be held after the return of Chairman Caldwell from California.

COMING BY BOAT.

COMING BY BOAT. SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—The pas-sengers on the steamer St. Paul for Los Angeles are: H. Johnson, Nettie John son, Mrs. Capt. Johnson, R. A. West, N. Levyre, H. S. Smith, Mrs. Smith, Miss L. Ralsch, Miss J. Smythe, Mrs. L. N. Wells, Miss Ivy, E. H. Smith, and three

SCRAP HEAP. William J. Hunsaker, Esq., solicitor for the Santa Fé Railroad for four for the Santa Fe Kalifold for four years past, has resigned on account of increasing private business, and to accept an appointment as attorney for a Scotch mining syndicate which is operating in Arizona.

#### PERSONALS.

F. H. May of Fresno is at the Nadeau. W. H. Gibson of Cincinnati is at the

Dr. John A. Williams of Asheville, N. C., is in the city. C. M. Higginson of Chicago, Ill., is a guest of the Nadeau. C. R. Stewart of San Diego is regis-tered at the Nadeau.

Engene Fechet of Oro Blanco, Ariz., is at the Westminster. J. M. Edwards of Coronado, Cal., is egistered at the Nadeau.

T. R. Dunn of Brooklyn, N. Y., is a guest of the Westminster. James Celon Watt of San Franciscs a guest of the Westminster. J. M. Cassni of Santa Rosa, Cal., is registered at the Hollenbeck. John T. Wright and wife of San rancisco are at the Westminster.

H. L. Jordan and wife of Omaha, Neb., are guests of the Hollenbeck. Mrs. and Miss Handren of Brooklyn, N. Y., are registered at the Westmin-

Mrs. Frona Eunice Wait and I. Anderson are registered at the Hollen-A. A. Courtney and wife of Tampico, Mex., have apartments at the Hollen-beck.

Emil Olcovich will leave for Boston today on a business trip. He will be W. D. Hibbard is a New York guest of the Hollenbeck, and is touring South-ern California.

ern California.

C. F. Morehouse is in the city from Ventura, where he and other eastern men are building a large oil refinery.

Mrs. S. S. Demy of Bristol, R. I., and Miss Hannah L. B. Demy of Boston, Mass., have apartments at the Hollenbeck.

creed at the Honenbeck from San Francisco.

Dr. S. S. Salisbury will return today from San Francisco, where he has been attending the State Homeopathic Medical Society.

Rev. Lewis Shellborn, an evangelist from New Jersey, who has traveled around the world, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday.

A. C. Seamans and Miss Seamans of Pasadena, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Seamans, Miss Mabel Seamans, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Seamans, maid and child of Brooklyn, N. Y., form a family reunion party, with headquarters at the Westminster.

#### The Paris Millinery Parlors.

All goods-both trimmed and untrimmedoffered during this special sale at ONE. HALF regular prices. Everything first-class and stylish.

Mrs. F. W. Thurston, 357 South Spring St. Corner Fourth.

SMELLED TO HEAVEN. errest of a Restaurant Man for Selling Bad Fish.

Deputy Constable James is possessed of a keen sense of smell and that was the cause of the arrest of Henry Stadthagen last night. James was passing the United States Restaurant, passing the United States Restaurant, corner of Main and Requena streets, about noon yesterday, when his nostrils were assailed by a most fearful odor. He stopped and gazed about for the source. Displayed in the window of the restaurant were fish of the barracuda and yellowtail species. The odor emanated from them. James induced Health Officer Crane to go to the restaurant and condemn the fish and then, procuring one of them, he went before Justice Morrison with his odoriferous evidence. His coming was preceded by the horrible smell and the court attaches fied to the open air. When James planked the fish before Justice Morrison a warrant was issued for Stadthagen the proportice of the restaurant and the record. Morrison a warrant was issued for Stadthagen, the proprietor of the restaurant, for violating the health ordinance by exhibiting tainted meat for sale. He was arrested at 7 o'clock and deposited \$15 bail for his appearance in court this morning.

I. W. Hellman in Europe.

A letter received from I. W. Hellman to his brother, H. W. Hellman, dated "Steamer Augusta Victoria, of the Hamburg Line, April 29," reperts the good health of himself, Mrs. Hellman and their two daughters. They had an enjoyable trip and expected to arrive at Cherbourg on the 30th uit. Since then dispatches have been received announcing the safe arrival of the party on French soil. They will first visit Paris, and thence will go direct to Southern Germany, where Mr. and Mrs. Hellman were born. The marriage of Mr. Hellman's niece, Miss Babbette Fleishman, takes place on May 21 at Bamberg, Germany. Mrs. Hellman's mother is still alive at Wuerzburg, Germany at the age of 75 years. Later on the family will go to Carisbad for some weeks, and expect to return to America some time in October or November. I. W. Hellman in Europ

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Jesse Howard, a native of Ohio and resident of Ontario, aged 24. and Clara J. Cowan, a native of New York and resident of Olympia, Wash., aged 40. Frederick Ernest Handel, a native of Germany, aged 24, and Ida Ballinger, a native of Wisconsin, aged 24; both of Los Angeles.

Benjamin E. Wellington, a native of Maine and resident of Burbank, aged 40, and Mrs. W. J. Bradley. a native of Wisconsin and resident of Los Angeles, aged 33.

Wisconsin and resident of Los Angeles, aged 32.

Peter E. Sanskowski, a native of Germany, aged 24, and Ida Thatjenhorst, a native of Germany, aged 22; both of Los Angeles.

William Norton a native of Canada. William Norton, a native of Canada and resident of Los Angeles, aged 28, and Lottle Coleman, a native of Kan-sas and resident of Covina. aged 21.

DEATH RECORD. COLE—In Pasadena, Thursday, May 14. Mary Greene, daughter of Myra M. Cole and the late John L. Cole.
Funeral Saturday afternoon, May 16, at 4 o'clock, from residence, BEATUS—Rosa, beloved wife of Jacob Beatus, aged 40 years, 2 months, 25 days.
Funeral Sunday at 10 o'clock from residence, Pico and F streets.
LIEBER—Joseph Lieber, son of Mary Lieber, and brother of Ed, Otto, Louis and Alphonse, aged 29 years.
Funeral Sunday at 2 p.m. from residence, No. 130 Wilmington street.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of John F. White will take place this morning at 10 o'clock from C. D. Howry's parlors, Fifth and Broadway.

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# "In Time of Peace."

Tomorrow will be the opening Sunday of the summer season. We've made these special prices for today so that you can be "in the push" of style just as everybody will be tomorrow.

#### Millinery.

We are taking the Millinery by the horns, so to speak, and instead of waiting until after July 4th to close out we commence today, the most especial offer being our line or \$7 to \$12 Trimmed Hats that go today for \$2.50, \$5 and \$7.50.

Ladies' Trimmed Sailor Hats....25c Ladies' Panama Walking Hats.\$2.00 

### Cloak Department.

Special values and new goods. A business far ahead of last year shows which way the wind blows.

Ladies' Wrappers at \$1.00. Splendid quality striped crepon seersucker, light, dainty colors, just the things for these summer morn-

Duck Suits at \$2.00.

Mostly dark color effects; Jacket in Eton style, stylishly made—skirt is full width—a very extra value.

#### Shoe Dept.

Go where you will, test by the high-est standard you know; measure by the very lowest price depths you've heard of and see how grandly we lead the town in shoes.

Ladies' Oxfords at \$1.50. Handsome shades of tan, tipped with the same material; hand-turned soles, new stylish shapes; worth fully 50 cents more. Ladies' Shoes at \$2.50.

Vici kid, patent leather tip, cloth o kid top. Most exceptional value.

#### Downstairs,

We are making some special trade inducing prices downstairs for today. 

Sham bottom, plain heavy claret tumblers, set of 6.............30c Plain handled, cut flute, sherbet glasses, set of 6.....

Fine ounce concaved ale glasses, set of 6..... "Silver Medal" Borax Soap, 4 bars for 25c.
"Ammonia" Soap, 4 bars for 25c.
"White Borax" Soap, 6 bars for 25c.
"White Borax" Soap, 6 bars for 25c.
Phoenix Scouring Soap, 10 bars for 25c.
Phoenix Scouring Soap, per cake 6c.
Sapollo, per cake 7c.
Pearline, snail packages, per package 5c.
Pearline, large packages, per package 1c.
Cocoanut Oil Castile Soap, 2 bars 18c.
Bath Brick, 10c.

#### Silk Specials.

Today we will show the best line of silks for \$1 the yard that has ever graced a slik counter. It is a large lot that was secured at "cinch" prices, and includes all the late Printed Warps and Dresden designs, and are most exceptional values.

#### Toilet-Drugs.

There are some articles we'd like t 

### Parasol Department.

Better gathering and closer buying are bringing you nearer to New York prices than you suspect. Two sample lots must stand for a dozen more sorts that are equally as wor-

Carriage Shades at 50c.
Gloria silk of good quality, black
ebonized handle—75c in most stores. White Parasols at \$1.00. The swellest of the swell—white satin and silk coaching styles with white enameled handle.

#### Saturday Specials.

We have selected four items from the small article stocks that we want you to note particularly for your to-day's buying. Here they are.

Swiss Embroidery Handkerchiefs, 3 for 50c. Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Haud-

kerchiefs, sheer quality, in some of the very latest dainty effects; ac-tually worth 80c each. Ladies' Black Hose, 25c. Ladies' Fast Black Hose that cannot be bought elsewhere for 35c; extra well made.

Pique Gloves, 75c.: Ladies' Pique Clasp Gloves in late style, a large lot and better value than you ever saw.

Lisle Vests. 50c. Ladies' Lisie Thread Vests such as are advertised elsewhere for 75c; your choice today at above price.

New Waists 75c Each. Any new coloring, any new style that can be found in New York may be had here, as cheap as you can buy there; with splendid lots to pick from.

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Men's Night Shirts.

An elegant line of Men's good Muslin 

Balbriggan Underwear. Medium weight derby ribbed Balbriggan Underwear, Shirts finished with allk corded front and pearl buttons, Drawers with sateen front and waist band, actually worth 75c; today for...

Children's Sailor Hats. A lot of Children's Sailor Hats, some which the head of the department says were slightly damaged in transit, but we could not see it; they were bought to sell at 50c and 75c, but they go today for. Men's Fine Hose,

today and profit by such values as these.

When you get tired of paying two and three prices for Men's and Boys' Goods come here. Come here

500 dozen of Men's Gennine Lisle, Combed Maco and Balbriggan Hose, in fancy stripes, solid colors and silk em-broidered. Never sold for less than 30c. Our price today, half-dozen in box 75c; or single pair.....

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### COLLIS P.'S SWAY ENDED FOR A TIME

Far-reaching Effects of His Defeat in the Harbor Fight.

The Senate not to Take Up the Funding Bill.

teps to Guard Against Bribery Every Precaution to Be Made to Prevent Collis from Approach-ing the Harbor Commission.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—There seems to be a misconception in certain quar-ers as to the nature of yesterday's settlement of the Santa Monica-San Pedro controversy reached in the Senate.

Even the usually well-informed and always honest Washington Evening Star speaks of it as "a compromise." It was hardly more a compromise than an unconditional surrender (with the victors' consent for the vanquished officers to retain their side-arms) is a "capitulation." The commission was thrust upon Huntington; he had to take that or nothing.

or nothing.

Only those here upon the ground can know how dark was the outlook. The most sanguine estimates put our strength at considerably less than a majority of the Senate. Under these circumstances the demand for a commission—a minority demand, with all the prestige of a commission report to overcome—was really a bold demand. But to some of the majority members, who had not calculated their own strength, its obvious fairness was mistaken for moderation. In a contest of principles it would have been moderate, but these things are mostly contests of interests, and "Vae victis" is the cry. Whatever of principle there was among the majority was won over by the fairness and apparent modesty of the minority's proposal. This is not mere assumption or conjecture; several Senators who had declared themselves favorable to the committee's recommendation, and would certainly have sustained it had it been directly attacked, are known to have gone to Senator Frye and said they could not vote against so just a proposal as the White amendment.

These alone might not have been suff-

to which he could have prolonged the debate.

Out of the nettle danger, Huntington will, of course, endeavor to pluck the nower safety. Indubitably he hopes to corrupt that committee of five. Equally he would have hoped and tried to corrupt the commission of three. The danger of corruption is an eternal menace with which we have to reckon. There is a chance—as there would under any settlement be a chance—that Huntington will in the end have his own way; but the country has been shown that he can no longer count with confidence upon his own way of having it. To have absolute security from him we should have to kill him—to which I can see no objection.

Doubtless all the members of the commission will be virtually appointed by the President. He is not ignorant of Huntington's methods, and already it is arranged that the proper representations will be made to him of the necessity of extraordinary care in selection. If it is thought that the three civil engineers will be more accessible to selfah influences than one army engineer would have been, yet it should be remembered that their two official asso.

a victory.

cardinal principle with the Huntn crowd is never to confess defeat
-even claimed the failure of the
y bill as an advantage. In the
of that grotesque conceit, their

be defeated if it were brought forward at this session.

he argument in the Senate on the ita Monica job was curio is. After it been pointed out by Senator White Santa Monica fob was curio is. After it had been pointed out by Senator White that two government commissions had reported in favor of San Pedro against Santa Monica, that the people of Los Angeles favored San Pedro, and all 'he representatives in Congress from Callfornia took the same side, Senator Frye, for sole answer to all this, pronounced a strong eulogium upon Huntington and argued that because he is so great and good the government should ignore the people, the nature of the coast and the welfare of trad2 and make a harbor at the point where Huntington had erected a wharf.

Against Frye's impassioned argument and appeal Senator Perkins opposed the coolly convincing statement that no less than sixteen wharves have been constructed at exposed points along the California coast and that one is as much entitled as another to have the government construct a harbor around it. This position was unassailable, and the advocates of the Huntington scheme were forced to a compromise. The settlement of the matter is to be left to a government commission, and to that extent Los Angeles has rained a victory for herself and the State. The prestige of the monopoly has thus been broken, and even the most timid will no longer regard it as something too powerful to fight in a good cause.

#### The River and Harbor Bill.

(Examiner, May 4:) The Santa Mor

The River and Harbor Bill.

(Examiner, May 4:) The Santa Monica conspirators have weakened. In the certainty of defeat, they did not venture to take a vote. Southern Callfornia will have a harbor now, and Mr. Huntington will have to be content with his wharf. San Pedro secures a certainty of the full provision of 339,000 for its inner harbor, and an outer harbor, to cost over \$3,000,000, is authorized, the location to be decided by a commission.

This commission is the one point that gives us cause for uneasiness. It is to be composed of one naval officer, to be appointed by the Secretary left the Navy, one officer of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, to be appointed by the Secretary of the Treasury, and three civil engineers selected by the President. These civil engineers will constitute the majority of the commission, and will have the absolute determination of the question that has been too much for the virtue of two committees of Congress. It is a tremendous responsibility to put upon three men. We hope the President will appreciate it, and that he will select three engineers whose professional reputations are so high as to make them inaccessable to the pressure that Huntington is so expert in applying.

Outside of the Southern harbor mat-

There was a meeting of the Executive Committee of La Flesta yesterday. The chief business attended to was the consideration of the report to be made at the final meeting of the Committee of Thirty, which will be held Thursday or Friday of next week. On that day the present flesta authorities will tender their resignations to the people of

chants' Association, the Board of Trade and the Chamber of Commerce will at once appoint ten men each and a new Fiesta Committee of Thirty will organize, elect officers and appoint standing committees. The work of preparing for La Fiesta of 1897 will not be deferred until so late in the fall as this season, but within a month the committee will be hard at work laying plans.

So when the day for the flesta banquet comes, towards the end of the month, those who helped to make this year's celebration a triumphant success can dine in peace, with the consciousness that the work of La Fiesta of 1896 is really entirely done.

#### RUNAWAY COASTERS.

on the corner of North Broadway and Temple street yesterday afternoon. Both wanted to reach the bottom of the hill, and as the boy with the wooden cart couldn't coast, because the front end of his wagon bumped on the ground, the other boy helped him out of his difficulty by fastening the cart behind the wagon, the tongue resting on it.

most reached the bottom of the hill when the wagons struck a chuckhole, the shock wrenching the tongue of the express wagon from the helmsman's hands. The two wagons wobbled unsteadily, darted erratically from side to side, missed a man on a bicycle by about two inches, and finally ran into the curb at the side of the street, with a crash that nearly joited the boys out of their skins but neither boys nor wagons nor curb were hurt.

the California Senators and Repre-ntatives to protest against House Bill 0, 8536 and Senate Bill No. 2987, now ending. President Foulkrod's tele-am says that if these bills are en-ted they will entirely nullify the au-ority of the Interstate Commerce act y relieving offenders of the penalty imprisonment. The matter will be id before the Chamber of Commerce ard of directors at its meeting on rednesday afternoon.

puty Sheriff Aguirre booked Lean-Bullena at the County Jail yester-under the charge of grand lar-

[THE PUBLIC SERVICE.]

He is Sentenced to Ninety Days in Jail.

Instruments of Record. Wholesale Change of Street Name tecommended by the Board of Public Works—Petitions Filed. Other Municipal Matters.

An Important Decision Respecting

The Board of Public Works yester-lay recommended the adoption of an ordinance, changing the names of all streets north of Ord, and intersecting uena Vista street. Several petition to the Council relating to various mat-ters were yesterday filed with the City

At the Courthouse yesterday a jury in Judge Smith's court convicted John E. Miller of simple assault and he was sentenced to ninety days in the County Jail. Curiew was sentenced to one day's confinement for complicity. Sev-eral divorces were granted and five new handed down an important decisio touching the priority of instruments of record, leading up to questions of fraud. A large number of new suits were filed. Judge Shaw refuses closed doors in the Saunders divorce proceed

[AT THE CITY HALL.]

### SWEEPING CHANGES.

VAMES OF MANY STREETS TO BE ALTERED.

of Public Works-Bids for the Sidewalking of Ninth Street to Be Rejected-Petitions Filed.

The Board of Public Works yesterday took favorable action on the petition of certain persons that the names of all streets between Ord street and the north city limits intersecting Buena Vista street and Pasadena avenue be changed as follows:
Ord street to Seventh avenue, Alpine
to Eighth avenue, College to Ninth avenue, Bernard to Tenth avenue, Cottage

Home to Eleventh avenue, Bishop to Twelfth avenue, Savoy to Thirteenth avenue, Solano to Fourteenth avenue, Casanova to Fifteenth avenue, entrance to Elysian Park to Sixteenth avenue, to Elysian Park to Sixteenth avenue, Water street to Seventeenth avenue, Hayes street to Dighteenth avenue, Walnut street to Nineteenth avenue, Chestnut street to Twentieth avenue, Truman street to Twenty-first avenue, Lecouvreur street to Twenty-first avenue, Lecouvreur street to Twenty-second avenue, Hellman street to Twenty-third avenue, Hellman street to Twenty-third avenue, Hamilton street to Twenty-third avenue, Well and Hoff streets to Twenty-selfth avenue, Primrose avenue to Twenty-sixth avenue, Koster, street to Twenty-selysth avenue, Grandin to Twenty-selysth avenue, Grandin to Twenty-ninth avenue, Lacy to Thirtieth avenue, Garland to Thirty-streat to Twenty-sixth avenue, I to Thirty-fourth avenue, Hot Thirty-fifth avenue, G to Thirty-sixth avenue, F. to Thirty-seventh avenue, B to Forty-first avenue, A and Floral to Forty-second avenue, Ocean View to Forty-third avenue, Hapland to Forty-fourth avenue, B to Forty-fourth avenue, A and Floral to Forty-seventh avenue, Central avenue and Palm streets to Forty-eighth avenue, Chestnut and Magnolia to Forty-seventh avenue, Central avenue and Palm streets to Forty-eighth avenue, Garvanza to Fifty-second avenue, Garvanza to Fifty-second avenue, Garvanza to Fifty-second avenue, Chestnut and Cherry to Fiftieth avenue, San Rafael and Cherry to Fiftieth avenue, San Rafael and Cherry to Fiftieth avenue, Chestnut and Cherry to Fiftieth avenue, Walnut to Fifty-first avenue, Garvanza to Fifty-second avenue, Chestnut and Cherry to Fiftieth avenue, Walnut to Fifty-first avenue, Garvanza to Fifty-second avenue.

The recommendation of the board with reference to the matter was that the City Engineer be instructed to present an ordinance embodying the changes petitioned for Other matters offered to the board were acted upon as follows: Water street to Seventeenth avenue

changes petitioned for. Other matters offered to the board were acted upon as follows:

"Recommend petition No. 67, from I. H. Preston et al., asking that a certain street and alley lying in Highland View tract be abandoned, be referred to the City Attorney to orepare and present the necessary ordinance to comply therewith.

"Recommend that protest from Mrs.

denied.

"Recommend petition from W. B. Boshyshell et al., and from F. A. Seymour et al., in reference to street-car lines, be filed, as the matters complained of have been acted upon favorably to the petitioners.

"Recommend petition from M. S. Cummings et al., asking that the grading and curbing of Bryant and Maxwell avenues between Hoover street and Vermont avenue be accepted on the grades established by the County Engineer, and the same be sprinkled, be referred to the City Engineer.

"Recommend in the matter of the petition from A. P. Holmes et al., offering to deed certain property for street purposes at the junction of Pasadena avenue and North Workman street, that the clerk be instructed to notify the petitioner to present deeds to the land, and upon the approval of said deeds by the City Engineer as to description, and by the City Attorney as to form, the clerk be instructed to record the same.

"Recommend that all bids for side-

as there has been a large protest filed

"Recommend that protest from W. W. Clark et al., against the sidewalking of San Julian street between Fifth and Seventh streets, be filed, as the proceedings have been ordered stopped in this matter."

Wants His Money Back. Ex-Mayor Workman has filed the fol-lowing petition to the City Council, which is self-explanatory:

which is self-explanatory:

"To the Honorable City Council: The undersigned respectfully represents that at the time of making the sale of lots in Boyle Heights to the city for school purposes, your honorable body retained the sum of \$600 as a guarantee that said lots would be filled to grade, and the street graded in front of said preperty on Third street. All of said work has now been completed, and I would respectfully request your honorable body to order returned to me the sum of \$600, so deposited with the City Treasurer."

An Extension of Time

Street Superintendent Howard has filed a communication to the Council, in which the recommendation is made that an extension of sixty days' time be granted the contractor for the sewering of Main and other streets. The assignee of P. M. Darcy desires this extension to cover technicalities, the work being now completed.

Permits for building purposes were issued yesterday as follows:

Mrs. Clara F. Howes, a dwelling on
Thirtieth and Figueroa streets, to cost

\$8000.
Puente Oll Company, a warehouse on Olympia street, to cost \$1000.
J. C. Bliss, a dwelling on Twenty-third street between Griffith and Menlo streets, to cost \$1500.
W. F. Robinson, a dwelling on Twenty-fourth street between Griffith and Menlo streets, to cost \$1903.

(AT THE COURT HOUSE.) NINETY DAYS IN JAIL.

Miller Broke Fuller's Jaw-Cur-lew Gets One Day-Review of the Quaker City Evidence.

The trial of John E. Miller, charged with battering Arthur Fuller at a Holiness church meeting in Whittier last February, was heard before Judge Smith in Department One yesterday. This church disturbance is still fresh

in the minds of the public, Fuller hav-ing accompanied Miss Foley to evening services at a Holiness meeting, and, being annoyed and insulted by a gang of youthful hoodlums. Arthur Fuller was the first witness called by the prosecution. In answer to numerous preliminary questions, Fuller replied that he was a resident of Ri-vera, and attended the Holiness church

replied that he was a resident of Rivera, and attended the Holiness church meeting at Whittier on the night of February 16, 1896, in company with Miss Foley. Curlew, Miller and two or three other young fellows took a seat Just back of the one occupied by him and Miss Foley, and began to make remarks. "Miller put his head between Miss Foley and me, and when I asked him to attend to his own business, he said, "Is that, so, whiskers on the moon?" alluding to the beard I had on my chin at the time. I presume. He persisted in putting his face between us and making remarks. When I again told him to keep quiet, he called me a out. I told him I would settle the matter later. Miss Foley and I changed seats, going further forward. We sat there about five minutes, and then went home, because they were making so much noise. When we went out they followed; that is, Miller followed us for about five hundred yards, keeping five or six feet behind us. The others stopped after they had followed us about one hundred and fifty yards. Miller followed within fifty yards of Miss Foley's house, and kept making the remark that "it is going to rain pretty soon."

In answer to questions by the prose-In answer to questions by the prosecution, the witness said: "It was a clear night, and there were no indications of rain. We did not go all the way to Miss Foley's house. We stopped at the corner and she requested me to go back, as she wanted to see some friends, and the church services were about over. Miller still followed, but stopped and stood in the street when we came back. We did not go all the way to the church, but turned and I took Miss Foley home. I then started to go to my home, going east and then north. I ran into the gang, and Curlew hit me on the back of the head. I turned around and Miller hit me. They kept pounding me, and I was forced backward into the fence, and then ran into the street. Miller said he struck me in the jaw. That was his testimony at Downey. It was dark, and I could not tell who struck me. I was hit pretty hard; it made me feel dizzy. At this moment a man named Smith appeared and exclaimed, "That won't do, two to one!" Then they stopped fighting me. Yes, I called for help."

The complaining witness was now subjected to a severe cross-examination, out no break was made in his previous

Fuller leaned back and told him to keep quiet. She said she was 15 years of age, and lived in Whittier. The boys made so much disturbance that they got up and left the building, after first changing their seat. The crowd of boys followed, but stopped after going a short distance. But Miller followed them within fifty yards of her home, and kept making remarks about it going to rain. "After we had returned to my home. I went into the house, and in a very short time. I think about two minutes, heard loud talking, and some one calling for help; at least, I thought so. I did not know who it was that was crying out in distress."

Peacemaker Smith was called and

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Miller did not call Fuller any name whatever and did not stick his head forward between Fuller and Miss Foley. I put my head between them in talking to Miss Foley. I heard Fuller call Miller — — The latter said nothing. James Cline of Whittler was called by the defense and testified that he astended the Holiness meeting. West there in company with King and occupied the back seat with Miller. Cullew, and others. "I did not hear Miller ay anything to Fuller. But Fuller leaned over and called Miller a — and said he would fix him outside. Miller answered he could do it now. When the people rose up to sing. Fuller and Miss Foley went out and the rest of us went out, too. I don't know anything about the row. The first I heard of it was the rattling of the wire fence."

R. A. Isabel was called by the defense and made the following statement: "Four of us went into the church and sat down on the back seat. Fuller and Miss Foley sat on the next seat ahead. I saw Fuller turn around and say something to Miller; don't know what was said. We all went out together—Kline, Bill King, Curlew and Miller. Did not hear Miller say anything about its going to rain. Heard the noise of a fight but did not know what was said. We all went out together—Kline, Bill King, Curlew and Miller. Did not hear Miller say anything about its going to rain. Heard the noise of a fight but did not know those participating in it."

John E. Miller, the defendant, was called and testified that "Ora Kane, Isabel and Curlew were in the church and talked to Miss Foley. When we went out of the church I walked aheas of the boys, and Miss Foley wered and asked me what I wanted—if I wanted to speak to her. I said no; it is coing to rain. I did not strike Fuller; he and Curlew were fighting and he attempted to strike me; I warded of his blow and in doing so hit him on the arm. I used no profane language to him in the church. He called me a.——and said he would settle with me when we got outside. I told him he could do it now." Miller is an orphanal professional co

dling.

The jury was out but a few minutes when a verdict of simple assault was returned. Curlew's trial was cut short by agreement of attorneys.

Judge Smith sentenced Miller to ninety days' confinement in the County Jall. Curlew escaped with one day's restraint of liberty.

IMPORTANT DECISION. lowing important decision was handed down yesterday by Judge York of Department Three of the Superior Court.

"On October 22, 1889, defendant J. F. Humphreys was the owner of the real estate described in the mortgages sough to be foreclosed in this action. He was at that time, and had been for a hon time prior thereto, the agent of plaintiff in the loaning of moneys for plaintiff and on said day had moneys of plaintiff and on said day had moneys of plaintiff in his hands to loan. Desiring to borrow \$2400 of such moneys for his own use said Humphreys, on that day, entered into an agreement with defendant Mathews by the terms of which he agreed to make and deliver to said plaintiff two promissory notes for \$1200 each and certain mortgages upon soid real estate to secure the same; and that said. 

But the contracts by the grantees the property covered by the mortga

aming purchaser's liability is based sed not be reconciled or weighed in triving at a conclusion in this case, discovery of the mutual intention of the parties to the contracts can be associated without reference to the technical discussions carried on in many resistance without reference to the technical discussions carried on in many resistance with a cknowledged learning and ability and covering many mars of time.

The contracts under consideration, terms, accept conveyances of the nortages premises subject to the cortages which the grantees assume and agree to pay. What mortages? It reference we ascertain that they are mortages made by defendant, dathews, to plaintiff to secure certain sotes made by Mathews, and payable oplaintiff. Standing alone, paying he mortages, without the light of urrounding circumstances, on a proper, liberal construction, would mean paying the notes secured by the mortages, or the mortage inseltedness. But, in construing written instruments where any latent smbiguity appears, the rule is rell established that the surrounding fircumstances should be considered after ascertaining the relation of the contracting parties to each other, and he subject matter of the contract, parties to each other, and he subject matter of the contracting parties to each other, and he subject matter of the contracting parties are considered. (Thompson vs. fcKay, 41 Cal., 228.)

"The sole object to be attained in he construction of contracts is to secretain the real intention of the parties. (Sprague vs. Edwards, 48 Cal., 39.)

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"The facts known to both contracting parties are the only facts which assist in interpreting a doubtful contract, because the intention to be ascertained is the mutual intention, and not the intention of one party based upon circumstances, knowledge of the existence of which he knew the other party did not possess.

The facts here, known to both parties, were the execution of the notes and mortgages by defendant Mathews, and the subsequent conveyance of the mortgaged premises from Mathews to defendant Humphreys by quit-claim deed which made no mention of the notes or mortgages. Humphreys was, therefore, on the known facts, neither legally nor morally bound to pay the notes, but had taken the conveyance subject to the incumbrance. He could not convey the land it De Oca by deed of grant without warranting against the mortgages. But he could protect himself from such warranty by a covenant similar to that under consideration. When, therefore, De Oca, looking upon Humphreys as neither legally nor morally bound to pay the notes, but solely concerned in reliaving himself from liability from his warranty against incumbrances in a deed of grant, entered into the situation with him to take the property subject to the mortgages which she assumed and agreed to pay, what was or ought to have been mutually intended by the stipulation? Was it intended that De Oca was retaining the amount due on the notes from the purchase price to the use of, or for the benefit of, plaintiff, who appeared to be a stranger to Humphreys, or that she was indemnifying Humphreys against any liability because of his warranty? I hold that the contract to assume and pay the mortgages, under the circumstances of this case, does not evidence an intention that De Oca was to pay the notes to the plaintiff or do other than hold Humphreys harmless on his guaranty. No mutual intention was manifested that De Oca was to maintain a portion of the purchase price for plaintiff or do other than relieve Humphreys from the liability under his warranty, because of the property being subject to the mortgages. The intention is exactly the same as though the mortgages had been made without the notes and to secure an indebtedness evidenced in the mortgages alone. Under such circumstances this contract could not be interpreted as requiring payment of anything to plaintiff, but to s

The pleanings herein do not conform to the evidence on which the facts are found, and the answer is ordered to be amended to conform to the proofs.

"Plaintiff cannot recover a personal judgment over either against De Oca or Vickery, but is entitled to foreclose his morigage and obtain a personal judgment over against Mathews and Humphreys. "Let judgment be entered accord-

NEW SUITS INSTITUTED.

Richard Gird has filed an action against George R. Smith to recover an alleged indebtedness of \$607.55.

John A. Philbin has filed a complaint against John P. Moran to regain possession of premises described as lots 1 and 2, block A, Moran tract and for \$400 and costs.

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E. J. Durrell has begun suit to foreclose a lien upon a grading contract, the work having been done in front of tot 4, block 7. Urnston tract. The amount alleged to be due is nominal.

J. F. Joyce has begun an action against Robert Jordan and the First Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles to recover on a lien for \$497.30.

Ada Rowe has filed an action for divorce against Ernest W. Rowe.

Otto George Wilhelm vs. Emil Gottleher, is the title of a suit in Justice Toung's court from which the defendant filed notice yesterday of appeal to the Superior Court.

William J. Reed has filed with assessment

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SHE WANTS PEAS.

laint Sworn Out by Mrs. Ball

Yesterday.

complaint was sworn out in the rice Attorney's office yesterday, ging Will Peas with defrauding his lady, Mrs. Nettie Ball, a lodging-so keeper at Third and Los Angeles ats. The defendant surreptitiously arted with his luggage after placit in Mrs. Ball's hands as security.

man posed as a very religious acter and ingratiated himself into woman's good graces.

ANNIE REGER SAFE.

Annie Reger has been in the home of the Hendricks for several weeks. This leaves the 15-year-old girl in her own custody. Should an attempt be made

FIVE NEW CITIZENS.

Canada, Russia, England and Ger-

Canada, Russia, England and Germany's Losses.

Owen McAleer, a native of Canada, was admitted to citizenship in Judge McKinley's court yesterday.

Elijah Griffith, a native of Canada, was also admitted to citizenship in the same department yesterday.

Joseph Llavierre, a native of Russia, was admitted to citizenship in Department Five yesterday.

John M. Whittington, a native of England, was admitted to citizenship in Judge McKinley's court yesterday.

Herman Flatan, a native of Germany, was admitted to citizenship in the same department.

INSURANCE DISMISSED.

Johnson Suit Against the New York

The suit of Mrs. Johnson against the New York Life Insurance Company for about \$6000, alleged to be due and payable on the life of her deceased hushand, was dismissed in Judge Van Dyke's court yesterday, on motion of Ben Goodrich, plaintiff's attorney. The insurance company claimed that the policy had been permitted to lapse by the assured in the face of notification from the company. Attorney Goodrich stated when making his motion that he had no grounds to stand upon.

Judge Shaw Wants No More of that A divorce proceeding of salacious in-terest was in progress before Judge Shaw throughout yesterday, entitled Charlotte E. Sanders vs. Ben F. San-

lous to have the cause tried with closed doors, a la Ballerino, but the court refused such special privileges. The developments that had been expected had failed of materialization when court adjourned last night.

BERRY GETS DECREE.

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Value of "Fifteen Minutes with the Boys."

W. B. Berry was granted a divorce from Isabel Berry in Judge McKinley's court yesterday. The evidence of a large number of witnesses showed conclusively that a domestic life was distasteful to the defendant. An elderly lady testified that Mrs. Berry told her she "would not give fifteen minutes with the boys for a whole life with Berry." A dancing teacher said she

James D. Keyston, William D. Keyston, Josephine Lenneker and — Williams have filed an action against the city of Los Angeles to quiet title to lots 39, 40, 51, 52, 17 and 18, Woodworth tract.

An Unlicensed Doctor.

G. S. Allen. Jr., of Calabasas was held to the Superior Court in bond of \$500 by Justice Owens yesterday on a charge of practicing medicine without a cer-tificate. It is alleged by Mrs. Mary Bentley of Calabasas that he nearly killed a babe by his ignorance of surg-ery.

Pasadena Election Contest. Another chapter was read in Judge Shaw's court yesterday in the late Pas-adena city election contest. The cause was continued until May 23, 1896, and at the request of contestees the ballots were delivered into the hands of the clerk of the court.

Object to Improvement. N. S. Niles and William Niles have begun suit against the city of Los An-geles and P. A. Howard, Street Super-intendent, for a restraining order for-bidding entrance upon property partly bounded by the Niles homestead.

Power of the Church. The petition of the Pasadena Presby-terian Church for authority to renew a mortgage for the purpose of continuing a loan of \$12,600, was granted by Judge Shaw yesterday. The church's debt has been reduced \$4000.

Preferred Claim. In the insolvency of P. M. Darcy, an order was made in Department Three yesterday instructing the assignee to pay the bill of S. P. Rhodes in the sum of \$50.96, it being adjudged a preferred

Plaintiff's Bond. The action of F. Jerome against O. D. Thompson, Sr., was on trial before Judge York yesterday. On demand of detendant, the court ordered the plaint-iff to put up a bond in the sum of \$150.

Insolvent Discharged.

D. Machado was discharged from olvency in Judge York's court yest

Hannah E. Harcus was granted a

In the insolvency of Moir & Smith and Thomas D. Smith, the petition of Frank Moir to set aside real estate as a homestead was granted in Judge York's court yesterday.

Judgment for Tryen.

In the action of Mary D. Tryen against Frank Van Fossen and others, judgment was entered for plaintiff in Department Six yesterday. Perkins is Assignee.

Gregory Perkins was appointed assignee of the insolvency of Olsen, in Judge Shaw's court yesterday, with bonds in the sum of \$2000.

Cameron Divorce. In the action of Cameron against Cameron for divorce, a decree was granted in Department Five yesterday as prayed for ..

Divorce Submitted. The action of F. Drechsel against Annie Drechsel for divorce, was submit-ted in Department Six yesterday.

Judgment quieting title was entered in Department Six yesterday, in the suit of Osterman vs. McKean. [AT THE U. S. BUILDING.]

Title Cloud Removed.

WHITE WHITEWASHED.

UNITED STATES INDICTMENT AGAINST HIM DISMISSEL

Letters—As the Letter Had Been Delivered, He Violated No Fed-eral Law—May Be Prosecuted in the Superior Court.

The interesting case of the United States against William H. White came to an end yesterday through a motion of United States District Attorney George J. Denis that it be dismissed, on

George J. Denis that it be dismissed, on the ground that there was not sufficient evidence to justify any jury in finding the defendant guilty.

White is the local manager of Baker & Hamilton, a San Francisco firm that deals in "everything on wheels." R. A. Johnson was formerly an employé in the firm's branch on Los Angeles street in this city. Johnson left that position some time ago. After he had ceased to be an employé of the firm, a letter was

for reading a private letter, and he vows to carry the thing into the State courts and obtain vengeance, if possible.

Land Case Dismissed. The case of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company against A. H. Field, which has been pending for some time in the United States Circuit Court, was yesterday dismissed. The sult was brought by the railroad company to quiet title to some land in the northern part of Los Angeles county, but the matter has been settled out of court, so the case has been dismissed.

Admitted to Practice On motion of George J. Denis, United States District Attorney, William D. Stephens was yesterday admitted to practice in the United States District Court and the United States Circuit Court. Mr. Stephens was already qualified to practice in the Superior Courts of California.

Frances Hussey Arraigned. Frances Hussey, the woman arrested some weeks ago as an accomplice of Richard Reese, a counterfeiter, was ar-raigned in the United States District Court yesterday, before Judge Well-born. The woman pleaded not guilty.

Alleged Boy Burglars Judge Wellborn will on Monday de-de when Dan Crandall, Bert Hill and Joe Kwasigorch shall be tried on a charge of breaking into the Pico Heights postoffice and stealing stamps.

A Chimney-sweep's Tricycle.

Strange and wonderful are the variations of the bicycle idea to be seen on the streets of Los Angeles. One bid fellow, who plies the trade of a chimney-sweep, has rigged up a fearful and wonderful tricycle, with a box across the rear, in which he carries his brushes, wires, brooms and other tools, and a bicycle saddle on which he sits. As he rides along the streets, black as a chimney, his hair long and waving, he looks like a sooty demon fresh from the under-world.

Teddy Is Off.

Jailer Richardson yesterday swore to a complaint of insanity against Henry, alias Teddy Williams. Williams is in jail on a charge of petty larceny, and has made several attempts to end his life. On one occasion he drank a quart of kerosene, and tries to starve himself to death by refusing to eat any food. It is said that he is wanted in Fresno on a charge of petty larceny?

What Eastern Newspapers Have to Say About It.

THAT SANTA MONICA JOB.

Although a vote had not been taken in the Benate at Washington on the question of an appropriation for a harbor at San Pedro or Santa Monica when the following extracts from eastern papers were published, they are reproduced—a few among many—for the purpose of showing how thoroughly the press of the East was aroused over the attempt of the Southern Pacific Company of the Hollowing the Pederal government for \$3,000,000. The fact that the company did not succeed in their outrageous attempt has been published in The Times.

The Times.

THAT HARBOR IN CALIFORNIA.

(Chicago Tribune, May 9:) It is expected the United States Senate will reach a vote today on the clause in the River and Harbor Bill, appropriating about \$3,000,000 for a harbor at Santa Monica, Cal. This proposed appropriation has become of national interest because of the sensational charges that have been made respecting its insertion in the bill. It has been stated, and not disputed, that it was not asked for by either of the Senators of the State, or the Congressman of the district concerned; that it was not wanted by the people of that district, and that such a harbor really was wanted by all the people of the State at another point on the coast. On the other hand, it is alleged that the appropriation is proposed entirely in the interests of the Southern Pacific Railroad; that it was inserted in the bill through the direct influence of C. P. Huntington, and that the location of the harbor at San Pedro is the desire of the people of California, and their assertion seems sustained by an overwhelming expression of public opinion through the newspapers of the State in Congress. The contention is so clear-cut and the insinuations of something worse than corruption so broad that the people generally, no less than the people of California, will demand that the facts be fully and clearly established.

PROGRESSIVE OPPOSITION.

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(Washington Star, May 8:) In a published interview C. P. Huntington, re-(Washington Star, May 8:) In a published interview C. P. Huntington, referring to the adoption by the California Republican convention of an antifunding resolution, says that he expected this action, and adds: "In fact, I think a majority of the people of California will do almost anything to force the Pacific railroads into the hands of the government." Mr. Huntington's idea of the opposition to the funding scheme is undergoing a steady and gratifying expansion. At first he represented to Congress that the opposition was confined to a few dozen irresponsible soreheads, and that California, with the rest of the world, was at his back. He now admits that California is not at his back, but contends that it is a case of California alone against: C. P. Huntington, Representative Powers, the railroad lobby, the American republic, and the world at large. When the test comes it is expacted that Mr. Huntington may be compelled to admit that opposition to the funding scheme has extended even outside of California. The indebtedness of over a hundred million dollars, due from Mr. Huntington and his associates, is not owed to California, but to the United States, and the people in general may take some little interest in the proposition of payment of less than legal rate of interest for a fixed term of years.

THE SANTA MONICA SCHEME.

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public opinion in California, as ex-pressed there and in Washington, is strongly to the effect that no harbor-is to be preferred at present to a har-bor for the exclusive convenience of the Pacific roads. It will be interesting to note how far that opinion goes with the honorable Senators.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

Fine—Other Cases.

Charles Keone, who was arrested on a charge of disturbing the peace night before last, was arraigned before Justice Morrison in the Police Court yesterday, and the charge was changed to drunk. Keene paid a fine of \$3.

C. G. Compton, the alleged forger, was arraigned before Justice Morrison. Detective Goodman presented an affidavit to the effect that a material witness was absent, and asked for a Fine-Other Cases.

affidavit to the effect that a material witness was absent, and asked for a continuance until the witness. Henry wensell, could be brought from Prescott, Aris. A continuance until Menday was granted.

The four boys, Joseph Hornbeck, Willie Beatty, Otto Rampe and Robert Gregg, who were arrested on a charge of malicious mischief, were arraigned on charges of petty larceny. The larceny consisted of taking several drinks of a beverage in the slot machines without depositing a ticket. Justice Morrison discharged them.

Alex. Hall was fined \$10 by Justice Morrison on a charge of indecent exposure. Hall, who has just come from Mexico, was arrested by Sergt. McKeag of the East Los Angeles Folice Station, while bathing in the river. H. J. Kane was fined \$15 for carrying concealed weapons.

Tow Yuen, a Chinaman, was before judge Owens on a charge of cruelty to animals, and was fined \$10.

Pete Jackson was the only drunk and Justice Morrison assessed him \$3.

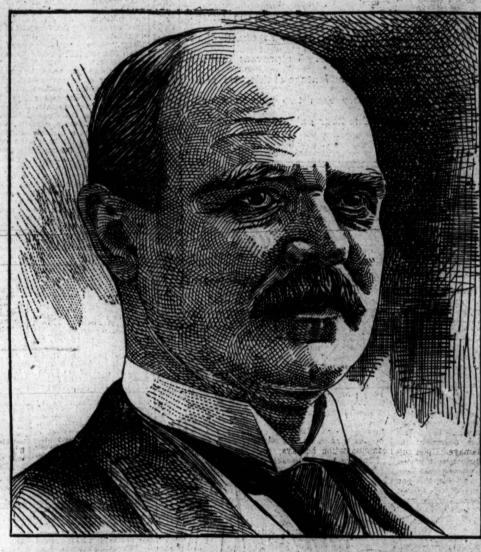
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# NEAR THE WHITE HOUSE.

Personal Friends of the President Indorse Paine's Celery Compound.

Following the Testimonials of Judge Powers and Congressman Grout Come Hearty Letters from Congressman Meredith of Va., Asst. U. S. Attorney John G. Capers, Maj. Gen. Birney, Congressman Wilber of N. Y., Congressman Bell, Lieut McAllister, Congressman Neil, and Many More.



thousands upon thousands of homes in every state and city of the country, which has been energetically indowed by the ablest physicians, which has received thousands of heart-rich testimenials from women and men in every station in life, and has been publicly recommended without solicitation by persons of such high character that they are honored by the whole nation—this remedy that makes people well, has received so many letters in its praise within the last two or three months, coming in every mail from every section of the country—that it would be impossible to print them all in the daily issue of any one paper.

Mr. Hearart's great paper, the Journal in New York, the Globe and the Journal in Boston, Mr. Kohlasat's powerful Times-Herald in Chicago, have such of them within a month devoted from one to three pages at a time to the most remarkable canvass ever made of the druggists in the great cities. And their best reporters, unprejudiced one way or another, have found that the druggists are meeting not only a larger demand than ever before for this one remedy, but that this demand—because Palne's celery compound curst where everything else falls—its so far gracier today that that of any other remedy that it has no competitor.

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This remedy, which has been a blessing to thousands of homes in every State and city of the country, which has been a compound. The new of the Profit of the country, which has been a compound all that is a claimed for it, and it gives me pleasure it commend it."

A letter from Congressman Robert Neill of Arkanasa contains the following:

"After a fair trial I have no hesitation in pleasure it to you her high opinion of its merits. She thousands upon thousands of homes in every State and city of the country, which has been a blessing to thousands of homes in every state and city of the country, which has been as the state of the Profit of the profit of the country, which has been as the state of the profit of t

She had the best medical attention but apparently with little benefit. In the latter part of september hat, while still feedle, she began the use of Paine's celevy compound, and improved is health continuously. In three menthes he had fully recovered, and is still in perfect health. I am bound to think the remedy is an excellent one, and do not healtale to recommend it to the suffering."

Lieut. C. A. McAllister, writing from botal Oxford, March 28, said:

"For several years past I have been a suf-

"First Assistant Engineer, U.S.R.C.S."
Hon. John C. Bell, Member of Congress
from Colorado, in a letter to Wells & Richardson Có., about the same time, told how he
had used three bottles of Pains's celery com-

raine's celery compound some time age, and after its use, am pleased to recommend it to any one who is in an everworked or run-down condition, as doing what is claimed for it."

Many other letters from prominent people who are not so well known are included in this year's files of testimentals.

gias deepleasness, headaches and low spirits by the use of Paine's celery compound. Paine' celery compound points to a won-derful record already achieved. The most wide-awaits, intelligent part of every com-munity in this country are among its most enthusiastic youchers and indorsers.

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Of a fine PIANO and a lot of Furniture and Household Goods, removed for convenience of sale to \$17, \$18, \$11 West Second street, of Saturday, May 16, at a p.m. Saturday, easy and a Goberste miler, in good order. The furniture late of ane enamered cheval pter miedroom sets, sloe 3 piece sets, also good common bedroom sets, some you common bedroom sets, some you common fice Brussels and is pets, some extension and sitchen tables rigerators, utenalis, dishes, and many sechold good things; also, at the same se and place, several desk chairs, stoves the contract lounces, mattrages, etc. etc., show cases, lounges, mattresses, All must go. Come and get bargains.

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The orange crop being practically out of the way, the attention of dealers and growers is now directed to the coming

"There appears a slight disposition to speculate in choice well-cured, good-keeping prunes at present prices. Eastern advices show heavy offerings of dipped and boxed goods at prices ranging from 5½ to 5 cents for 40-50's and 5 to 5½ cents for 50-60's. A report reaches us that Butler & Co. have disposed of their eastern holdings, amounting to fitten to twenty cars, to a New York failed to secure confirmation of the report. The growing crop is being closely watched and no new developments have been reported. With favorable weather and not too heavy a 'drop' a good crop of prunes will be harvested this season.

SILVER PRUNES.

It is expected that when Claus Spreckels returns from Europe, where he is at present, there will be quite a boom in the beet-sugar industry throughout California. Just before starting for Europe Mr. Spreckels said that if he lived long enough he expected to see the State making not only all the beet-sugar consumed here. the State making not only all the beetsugar consumed here, but exporting
\$50,000,000 worth to the Atlantic States.
The East now imports between \$75,000,000 and \$100,000,000 worth of sugar annually, nearly all of which Mr. Spreckels says California can make. Mr.
Spreckels has been offered \$10,000,000
by New York capitalists. They want
the money invested in California in his
full charge and unhampered direction. While Mr. Spreckels is in Europe he will inspect the great sugar
factories of France and Germany, and
see if they have any improvement in
machinery and methods which may be
of use to him.

Mr. Spreckels has been increasing his

machinery and methods which may be of use to him.

Mr. Spreckels has been increasing his ewnership of lands near the Watson-ville factory, where he has purchased several thousand acres. The San Francisco Call recently had the following to say in regard to this purchase:

"Mr. Spreakels bought over six thousand acres of land, within reach of his Watsonyille sugar-beet factory, bout six weeks before he left. These ends were long used for wheat, barley or out growing, but they are all right for beets, on Mr. Spreakels would not have bought them. The assertion has been generally made that, now that wheat-raising dome, not pay as it used to, the most of the land

heretofore devoted to its culture would practically go out of cultivation and bring next to nothing.

"Much of this land will be used in best culture. Best culture has only begun, and its extension will withdraw from wheat-growing immense tracts in the San Joaquin and Sacramento valleys, while, by reducing the wheat area, it will tend to better the price of that staple. Beets grown in France and Germany yield 8 to 10 per cent, of sugar only; here our lands yield 14 to 18 per cent, and without special fertilization. There, but for government bounties, the business could not be made successful. When California gets to manufacturing \$50,000,000 worth of beet-sugar for annual export east, the shipment of refined sugar to Atlantic ports from Germany and France, on which there is a heavy import duty, will greatly decline, if it does not entirely cease."

Another Vine Disease

fonis vine growers are never to end. No sooner had they begun to congratulate themselves on the success that has at-tended the introduction of resistant stock that is proof against the phyl-loxers, and, further, are beginning to reap the benefit of combination in marketing the product, than comes the discovery that the resistant or riparia vines are subject to a peculia disease, as a result of which it is stated that

dead or dying,
According to the San Francisco Call According to the San Francisco Call it was discovered last August that some of the riparias suddenly sickened and died. It was by no means a general affection, but this spring, when the wine men got ready to graft upon their resistants they found the riparias had died by the thousands. It was at first thought to be the dreaded Anaheim disease, which played such havoc in the southern vineyards, but opinions were by no means certain on this point. In every case where the vine was affected an investigation showed that its roots were diseased, and in some cases entirely dried up.

The riparia is a native, growing wild in this State and along the Mississippi. The riparia from the Mississippi is the more satisfactory of the two, and for that reason was planted much more extensively than the Call-

Fresh apricots have been on the local market for a week or more, coming from Palm Springs, on the Colorado Desert, which has once more beaten Arisona in the race for early fruit. There are a few cherries on the market. The fresh fruit season throughout the State is backward, owing to rains and cold weather. Dealers and growers are still waiting to obtain more definite news in regard to the extent of the frost damage. Upon this will largely depend the course of prices. Last year's dried fruit crop has been pretty well cleaned up. Peaches and apricots are becoming scarce. Should the coming crop prove as short as some persons suppose, there ought to be an important and decided advance in prices.

"There appears a slight improvement in the demand. The California Fruit Grower recently had the following in regard to the prune market:

"There appears a slight disposition to apeculate in choice well-cured, good-teeping prunes at present prices. Eastern advices show heavy offerings of lipped and boxed goods at prices ranging from 5½ to 6 cents for 40-50's and 5 to 5½ cents for 50-60's. A report reaches as that Butler & Co.'s office in this city. but tailed to secure confirmation of the resort. The growing crop is being losely watched and no new develon." The growing crop is being losely watched and no new develon. The growing crop is being losely watched and no new develon. 

Some of the big orchards in the northern part of the State are beginning to carry on their work on a scale after the style of the great wheat ranches of the San Joaquin Valley. Probably the biggest orchard of California is that of Hafch & Rock on the Feather River, covering 1600 acres. Here everything is run on a big scale. The Oroville Register has the following description of the manner in which work is done up there:

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"The horses and men, wagons and plows are numbered by the score, but this spring an innovation has been made. A gigantic traction engine takes the pince of the gang-plow and does as much work as four eight-mule teams. The engine runs down the mile-long rows and plows the full width of the row, twenty-four feet, turning over the ground in excellent shape and doing the work much cheaper than it can be done by animals. When night comes, said Foreman Ditsler, "and we unhitch from the engine, it does not require a big lot of hay and barley, and hence there is a great saving in the cost." The engine will be used to haul the fruit to Biggs to the cannery this summer, and will make better time than any team. It will run a saw for cutting wood, grind barley, pump water and do any other kind of work on the place that steam can do."

Such work as this shows great enterprise; and is doubtless profitable to the owners of the orchard, but such immense estates as this, which employ a limited number of men, generally bachelors, for a part of the year only, are far less beneficial to the State at large than would be a number of ten or twenty-acre farms. If, instead of this vast tract of 1600 acres, there were 100 tracts of sixteen acres, the same land would furnish a good living to 100 families, or, say, 500 persons, and these again would support at least 100 more to supply their various needs, so that there would be a prosperous community of 600 people, whereas probably not more than sixty now find employment, and that during only a portion of the tracts of the head of the supply their various needs, so that there would be a prosperous community of 600 people, whereas probably not more than sixty now find employment, and that during only a portion of the tracts of the beautiful the system of

big fruit ranches will not become general in Southern California. As The Times has frequently stated, one of the main reasons for the rapid advancement that has been made by this section of the State lies in the fact that small ranches are here the rule, whereas in the northern and central parts of the State they are the exception.

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or elsewhere, and are not in a situa-tion to be distributed economically or with dispatch, at any price, even it we had the demand for them, as they are scattered everywhere.

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The correspondent suggests that if a full assortment of our products was concentrated at Chicago in one store, under the management of one competent and responsible business man, he could, through the circulation of hundreds of thousands of prices current, reach every consumer of any consequence throughout the eastern States, and furnish him, by the package, at rates for less than half of what is being asked now and yet return perhaps 25 per cent. more for the goods than our producers are now getting.

The correspondent, R. R. Sneath, concludes as follows in regard to the advantages which purchasers would de-

rive from a systematic marketing of our products in this manner:

"To effect this I would suggest that a California corporation be formed, with a capital sufficient for the business and with stockholders without regard to their being producers or not, which capital should be entitled to 10 per cent. per annum interest and a first charge on the profits of the business. Good business directors to direct and solicit consignments from here to be sold for the first season on a commission of 10 per cent., and any profit after paying expenses to be returned pro rata to the consignors and stockholders combined. Consignments should be moderate in quantity at first, so that any serious loss would be avoided, and they should be sent only by permission.

"The Chicago agency would prove in a few months. by prices obtained, whether it would be more profitable to consign to it of not, and it would be preferable in all respects to allow the producer perfect freedom to sall depend upon the ability of the company to make better returns than anyone else could. Dealers and consumers would find that no one else could furnish an assortment of California goods, and, by trading direct with this company there would be no speculative profit encountered, as the legitimate supply and demand should at all times make the market rates.

"If the project proved profitable, other agencies might be established and cold-

a reasonable rate for his money, and would not take stroke offerwise. His risk, however, would be greater than the stockholder who is also producer, as the latter could count on getting much better prices for his produce if sold direct to the retail trade or consumer, and avoiding the speculative jobber, so that he could well afford to pay 10 per cent commission, as any profits over expenses would be returned to him.

"On this basis I would—although not a producer for export—take a reasonable quantity of the stock, with the assurance that the business would not only be profitable as an investment but would enlarge the market for our productions to such an extent as to make all our industries profitable.

"It will be admitted that if all the products of California were in the hands of one man that he could name his own price without fear of competition, and as a good business man he would be careful not to make his prices so high as to interfere with the sale of all his goods in due season, and thus the producer would realize all the market would legitimately bear in price.

"By laying down the goods at the door of the consumer at the lowest possible cost, there should always be a good margin for the producer, and yet to be in a position to compete with any foreign production.

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"The producer here would soon learn that his fealty was due to such an agency, for the reason that to consign his goods to anyone else would in effect be competing with himself; and being a partner entitled to a share of the net profits in proportion to his shipments, without taking any risk as to the final outcome, makes the position of the shipper safe beyond question.

"Should the agency at Chicago find a larger market than expected, and shippers withhold their goods for

he knows the minimum price. If the packer cannot sell for that price the raisins are to be stored until they are demanded in the market.

By John M. Wells, Elsinore, Cal., in California Fruit Grower:) There has been considerable attention given in the papers recently to the cultivation of flax. The short account in your issue of April 4 of what they had done up in Washington by sending a ton of it over to the Barbours, the great linenthread manufacturers of Lisburn, near Belfast, Ireland, for treatment commends itself to any others who are thinking of going in for its cultivation, as the above firm is about the greatest authority on anything connected with flax.

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Having often visited the North of Ireland, where flax culture, spinning, weaving, etc., are so successfully carried on, and thinking what little I know on the subject may be of interest to the readers of the California Fruit Grower, I hereby submit that little, for their perusal, hoping some other, more intimately acquainted with the subject, will supplement this with further light on the subject. And by the way, in a country like this whose population is drawn from such a variety of places, there can be hardly any subject mentioned in the papers, but that some reader could elucidate it by giving his experience in a similar case.

Those who have seen a field of flax in flower will admit it is one of the prettiest of pastoral sights. Among country people it is often referred to as a date to recken from. Burns mentions that custom its his "Cofter's Saturday Night."

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"Her cheese was but a "twelve-month old Since lint was in the belless."
Lint or linseed being synonymous with flax-seed, so the last line translated runs "since flax was in the flower." Shortly after it has flowered it is harvested, being pulled up with the hand by the roots and often in asking one of the cotter farmers the age of any of his stock he will answer: "Just two years for more as the case may be) come the pulling of the flax." Those who have taken part in the ardunaitask will readily understand it is a date not likely to slip their memory as long as a man remains a vertebrate animal. I have since heard that a successful machine has been invented that accomplishes the same work in a satisfactory manner. If that is so, the principal obstruction to its successful cultivation in this country has been removed. Just fancy Weary Waggles being requested to pull an acre of flax! Sawing wood is a mild recreation in comparison.

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After it has been pulled, and laid flat on the ground to dry it is bound up into sheaves or bundles which are taken to a pit and completely submerged to rot; and those who have traveled through a flax district during that season are not likely to forget the sensation; the "bouquet" (using as mild a word as possible) to any one not used to it is disgusting. I have often been in close proximity to the odorous polecat and prefer his immediate presence any day to that of a flax pit. There is an ordinance rigidly enforced, to prevent growers from making their pits within a certain distance of any public road and also prohibiting them from draining said pits into any river or lake to the detriment of the fish

therein.

After being taken from the pits it is scutched and hackled to rid the fiber from its outer covering, and is in this state when sold to the manufactories, where it is bleached, spun and woven into the finest of cambrics or ordinary

Evergreen.

Tropical Yam.

(Florida Agriculturist:) There are many yams in different pars of tropical and sub-tropical countries. The yam now being tried at the Lake City Experiment Station was found growing in the grounds of Mr. Gardner at Fort Myers. He considered it valuable, and generously supplied the station with seed. It was planted on poor land in rows six feet apart, and six feet apart in the row. It was fertilized with a small amount of stable manure and acid phosphate, and given a low trellis to cling to. It grows in rampant fashion, the vines being from ten to twenty feet in length. The season of freedom from frost here does not seem to be long enough for it to form any aerial tubers in the axils of the leaves. These aerial tubers are used for seed. It is probable that the plant could be rapidly propagated by cuttings of the vine, as these have a strong tendency to root at the ploints, wherever the vine rests on the ground.

A growth of one season gives yams

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The hackle is a coarse comb with steel teeth through which the fibers are drawn, taking off any extraneous matter and straightening out the "weary pound o' tow.

The dry climate of California is not suitable for the growth of the finest fiber, and whether it is possible to get both the fiber and seed from the same crop is a point in dispute. The maturing of the seed takes place after the fiber has reached its critical point or finest condition, after which it turns coarse and is not nearly so valuable.

The question for those to consider in California who have a hankering after flax culture is, whether the game is worth the candle. Variety is the charm of life and also of agriculture, horticulture, and particularly floriculture. It would be a pleasant sight to see the Riverside orange groves interspersed with banana and pineapple plantations, but the problem is: Given a certain soil and climate plus a copious supply of the liquid indispensable; with the same amount of labor and expense what crop can be most successful and profitably produced? Every country and district even has some peculiarity, and a special fitness of its own for certain products; the thing is to find out those products that the locality is specially adapted to, then grow it for all you are worth.

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(Ira D. Adams:) It will soon be time in many portions, of this State to prepare the ground for melons, squashes, sweet corn, etc.

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\*\*Experimental Control of the Winter Pineapple muskmelon would do well on heavy adobe land; also, what time I planted the seed, hills how far apart, and how I managed to keep them until Christmas. In the spring of 1890 I wrote quite a lengthy article for the Rural as to the merits of the Cassabak, "or Winter Pineapple muskmelon. Doubtless the party asking for information about this variety of the cassabak," or Winter Pineapple muskmelon. Doubtless the party asking for information about this variety of the cassabak, "or Winter Pineapple muskmelon. Doubtless the party asking for information about this variety of the cassabak," or Winter Pineapple muskmelon. Doubtless the party asking for information about this variety of the cassabak, "or Winter Pineapple muskmelon. To south the seed, hills how far apart, and how I managed to keep the must be adone with the year of the cassabak," or Winter Pineapple muskmelon, be interested in this authlet, the party ask is the party

tubers proper, if left in the ground, will shoot up the following year, and for an indefinite number of years, and will increase in size from year to year. Thesetubers have been known to retain a length of three feet.

The Healdsburg Enterprise thus rises to make a prophecy: "The acreage being planted to vineyards in California this year is sufficiently large to make the prediction that, unless a halt is called, the industry will again be injured by overproduction. Farmers better be careful about planting too many vines. There is danger of overdoing even a really good thing."



For very young chicks, and until they are old enough to eat whole wheat, there is no better food than egg boiled hard, so that it can be crumbled. It should be given a little at a time, and the chicks be allowed to run around for an hour or two before any more is given. If the egg shell is crushed fine and added, this will also be each and it will furnish the needed grit to aid digestion, besides supplying the lime which is essential in growing bone and feathers. Many chickens suffer from indigestion because cooped on wooden floors, where they cannot get either and or grayel which ail fowls must singer. The Tip Top I have found to be a most excellent yellow-fleshed muskmelon, either for family use or for sale.

Watermelons. Like muskmelons, watermelons flourish much the best on new land. As I have none, I always try to have a green crop of some kind to turn under a week or two before planting. Late last December I sowed a mixed lot of seed as an experiment for this purpose. It consisted of about equal parts of hairy vetch, dwarf Essex rape, a kind of pea I had and a beardless barley. Altogether I will have a fair crop to turn under about the last of this month, although the hairy vetch for some reason is nearly a failure. However, I am in hopes to have a fine crop of melons on this experimental strip of land.

Two of the Best. Cole's Early is early, and one of the first to ripen. The Lodi, which originated, I believe, in this State, is, in my judgment, one of the best melons raised and one cannot so amiss in planting it.

Winter Squashes. The mammoth variety I plant 8x8 feet, although some give them 10x10 feet. My hybrid squash I have aiways planted the same distance as the mammoth variety in this season. I find that nothing seems to make the vines grow as strong and vigorous es a fertilizer of old, thoroughly decay-d night soil. The manner of saving and preparing it for use I fully explained in an article I wrote for the Rural in April, 1891. A small randful thoroughly mixed into each hill will show its wonderful effects in a short time. It is equally as good for all kinds of melons. I still have a few of my last season's hybrid squashes on hand, which are apparently as sound as ever. I am expecting to test their quality soon in the shape of pies. I shall lant wo acres floors, where they cannot get either sand or gravel, which all fowls must have if they would keep in good health. California's reputation for thoroughbred poultry, like her horses, is worldwide. Recently A. E. Olshausen of this city received an order for Buff Cochin eggs from far away Jamaica, to be shipped via Boston.

(Baltimore Sun:) Put the chicken coops on a southern slope where the youngsters can catch the benefits of the glorious spring sunshine.

Be sure to have suitable gutters around the upper side of the coops that will prevent all possibility of water running in the coops during heavy sudden showers.

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It is a good plan to drive stakes deep in the ground on the two ends of the coop and have them snug up against the sides. Fasten a strip across these stakes, so it will touch the peak of the roof of the coop. This will hold the coop securely in place in case a severe windstorm should come.

Keep the drinking water in the shade and have the dishes arranged so the chicks cannot get in them.

Remember, to grow bone, muscle, feathers and flesh a varied diet is necessary, and the food must be of the best, whatever is used.

Feed chicks frequently, but only what they will partake of with keen relish. Never surfeit them unless at the last feed in the evening, then they may be allowed to have about all they want.

Fine, strong, hearty chickens are not the result of carelessness or slipshod methods. The greatest success is made by those who make a study of one breed.

Eternal vigilance will be the price of young chicks as soon as the hot weather sets in. Cleanliness must then be observed or vermin will swarm and "take off" the chirpers by the score.

Whitewash the coops outside and in. Frequently turn them up so the sunshine can get in its sanitary work.

Regularity in feeding brings uniformity in results. To get the best results, best methods must be adopted.

Success in raising chicks means simply to furnish them proper foods to keep them growing. Neglect tells very quickly on the young chick, and such checks to their growth are exceedingly hard to overcome.

If you are not as successful as your neighbor, do not say he has better "luck," but go and investigate the reason. You will find "better methods" a more proper reason for your neighbor's success.

Teach the chicks to scratch in litter for food as soon as they are three

still have a few of my last season's hybrid squashes on hand, which are apparently as sound as ever. I am expecting to test their quality soon in the shape of pies. I shall plant two acres or more of this variety in May.

Sweet corn. I always raises a good patch for family use, and I consider it the best variety to use for mileh cows as well as horses, as they are extremely fond of it if cured properly. I have tried many kinds of the mammoth varieties of field corn for feeding to stock, but find there is too much waste in the long, hard, woody \$500ks, whereas, the stalks of sweet corn are small, sweet and tender, and there is but very little waste if properly cured and fed.

Then again, in planting smaller varieties of sweet corn, 3x3 feet, as I always do, leaving four stalks to a hill, I get on an acre 4840 hills, while the larger varieties of common field corn planted 4x4 feet, one only gets 2722 hills on an acre. I consider there is more available feed for stock and of a much superior quality in one hill of sweet corn than there is in two or even three hills of the mammoth variety of field corn, even though it does grow "fifteen feet tall and ten feet to the ears."

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Dan't wait for the sun to shine in your face before getting up to feed the chicks. Feed early, as soon as sunrise, any way. By doing this you will save some chicks from being trampled to death by restless hens.

If scrub chicks are good, pure breds the much better, and the uniform color and appearance is often quite a factor in selling.

If the hens are lousy when they are given a brood of chicks, the lice will leave the hens and infest the chicks. Keep the coops and yards sweet by freely using air-slacked lime.

See that the coops are securely closed at night, so that rats or other prowling vermin cannot enter.

It is important to have feeding pens variety of field corn, even though it does grow "fifteen feet tall and ten feet to the ears."

Care in planting corn. Great care should be taken in planting all varieties of sweet corn, as the purer the kind the easier it rots. I always plant mine with a hoe, and scarcely an inch in depth, and never until the weather gets settled, and the ground quite warm—generally here from the 10th to the 20th of May.

Kinds of sweet corn. There are so many varieties advertised as "the earallest and best," that it is very difficult for any one to decide (intelligently) as to which is the choicest kind. Last season I was so well pleased with the Early Vermont that I shall try it again this season from seed of my own raising. I am not aware that it is catalogued as yet by any seedsman on this Coast. For a later variety I have found none superior to Stowell's Evergreen.

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It is important to have feeding pens or coops when there are broods of various ages running together. They can easily be made of laths.

It is a good plan to select eggs for setting from the best hens and save the chicks for next year's breeding stock.

If there are pullets of cockerels in some of the broods that grow much faster than the rest, mark them to be saved, not to be sold. This method will build up the stamina of your flock. It will require seven pounds of skimmed milk to equal one pound of lean beef for flesh-forming purposes.

Eggs intended for hatching should not be kept over four weeks. They must be turned every day or two.

Occasionally when the earth is dry, spade up a small space near the brood coops and make fine and mellow, so the little chirpers can take a bath. The way they will enjoy it will pay for your truble.

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Trouble.

Do not give up for lost little chicks that get caught in a rainstorm and become drenched. Take them and wrap them up in hot flannel, leaving their heads out, and keep them where it is very warm. They will sometimes revive after they seem to be nearly or



cows only at their beef value, may seem entirely fanciful.

It is true that this stock will gow old, and, in time, depreciate in value from old age. But long before that time comes, it may be used to breed successors that will perpetuate its good qualities. This increased value of its progeny is what constitutes a large part of the gain from improved stock. It is for this reason that most farmers who begin by grading up the stock they already have soon quit that by purchasing full bloods and breeding to them. Grading up is a first-class way to begin, but very few enterprising farmers continue long to be satisfied with that. The breeder of the pure-bred stock can at least make it pay interest on its increased value by its greater productive capacity. If he does this until he is fully stocked with thoroughbreds, there will probably by that time be in his own neighborhood farmers who have been experimenting with graded stock, and who will be anxious to buy his surplus, so as to go into impoved stock-breeding themselves.

The truth is, much the larger part of the cows now kept by the average farmer do not pay their way. Of the cows now kept by the average farmer do not pay their way, of the cows head and productive stock gets reported in the agricultural papers, but there are thousands of course, the improved and productive stock gets reported in the agricultural papers, but there are thousands of the cows kept by the class of farmers who take no agricultural papers are not even fit to be used as foundations for crossing with better stock. It would take too long to bring them up to the paying standard, which no keeper of any stock should allow himself to fall below. It is true that this will require better stock. As the standard of best goes higher, that of what is passable and barely paying will increase also. The quantity of butteryield that would pay ten or twelve years ago will not pay now. Butter is, in fact, now cheaper than it has usually been at this early season, and this is doubtless in part due to the im

processes for extracting the last perticle of butter fat from the milk, and,
to improvements in breeding which
have made greater milk and butter
yields more common throughout the
country than they were a few years
ago.

It is a fast procession that American,
farmers of every class are marching in,
Only by keeping up with it can they
hope to attain enduring success. Their
competitors are trying to work as
cheaply as possible and produce moderate yields at less cost. The American
way is generally to decrease cost by
increasing the yield, and increase price
by bettering the quality of the product.
In so far as farmers do this they can
be able to maintain the standard of living that the people of this country in
all departments of labor have been accustomed to. Of late years it has been
hard for farmers to live as they have
been used to doing without gradually
depreciating their capital. In most
cases this depreciation has been in the
form of decreased soll fertility. The
only way to avoid this depreciation altogether is by keeping better stock
than they have been used to doing.

The old saying that time is money is doubly true with regard to fattening animals. There is no profit in slow fattening of anything. The largest amount of nutritious food than can be digested and assimilated is always the most profitable for the fattening animal. The food required for mainte-nance of the animal to merely keep it in store condition is just so much wasted f no more than this goes with it. This does not mean that fattening animals That will injure digestion, and then, no matter how liberal the feeding, the animal will not thrive. Old animals are generally fattened slowly. For this reason their flesh is tough. But if they are fattened quickly, as they may be



The farmers of the land are wisely coming to the conclusion that the best remedy for that malady known as depression in agriculture is to make the oil deep and rich with high culture and

(American Cultivator:) There is too much scattering of both manure and labor on most farms to accomplish the most profitable results. The use of improved farm machinery, enabling farmers to cultivate and harvest more the discount, and keep them where it is very warm. They will sometimes revive after they seem to be nearly or quite dead.

The Best Stock is Cheapest.

(American Cultivator:) There is much less said now by farmers about the mistake of paying "fancy prices," as they are called for cows and other improved farm stock. There is really no farmer show the reverse about it, as most farmers have learned after keeping scrub stock, which every year ate more than it produced, and whose progeny was only fitted to continue this unprofitable business. It is only a limited amount of stock that most farmers can keep at the best. If there are a few inferior animals in the herd they diminish the more land, until at last the entire farm can be brought to the garden standard, which should be the ideal of every farmer.

Seed Potatoes

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#### NEWS AND BUSINESS.

BRANCH OFFICE OF THE TIMES, No. 47 East Colorado street. Tel. 200. PASADENA, May 15, 1896 Try McCament's fruit punch today. Dr. Plass extracts teeth without pain. 10. 44 North Marengo. Fine 40-inch printed lawns on special ale at Bon Accord Saturday, 8yds \$1.

Officer Horton is on the sick list and pt. Wakely is doing duty in his stead. fessrs. McDonald, Reed and Downing t today for the San Gabriel Canyon a fishing excursion.

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The Universalist Sunday-school will denic at Devil's Gate Saturday, the ragons leaving the church at 9 a.m.

Maj. Hilton, the evangelist, will reach in the Calvary Presbyterian hurch on Columbia street Sunday fternoon at 3 o'clock.

Charles J. Willett delivered to Marial Slater today a woman's gold watch at chain which he found on the street the corner of Raymond avenue and blorado street.

H. R. Lagey and his son Pobert will

colorado street.

H. R. Lacey and his son Robert will have Pasadena on Saturday's overland or Wilkesbarre, Pa. Mrs. Lacey and amily, who have spent three years here, will leave for the East July 1. Frank J. Polley, professor of history Throop Institute, has been offered professorship in Stanford University ad has gone north to make arrange-ents regarding the appointment.

few days, he will be accompanied by Joe Grinell.

Miss Mary Cole, the youngest daughter of Mrs. John L. Cole of Pasadena avenue, died at the family residence Thursday night. The funeral services will be held at the family residence at 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Rev. Wyllis Hall officialing.

At a meeting of citizens in North Pasadena Thursday evening, annexation and street sprinkling were the principal topics discussed. A committee was appointed for the purpose of securing the sprinkling, but nothing definite was done about annexation.

J. A. Brown, who runs a chicken ranch on East Colorado street, is the subject of an execution for debt for rent, issued by Mr. Ingham, the owner of the ranch. Mr. Brown quietly disappeared from his chicken corral and his difficulties early Wednesday morning, and nothing has been heard of him since.

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Mrs. Vore was visited by the harness thieves Thursday night and a set of harness taken from her barn. A valuable dog belonging to Mrs. Vore was poisoned ten days ago and this is now believed to have been the work of the thieves. About this time last year Mrs. Vore's house was entered and some valuable goods stolen.

H. W. Latham died Thursday night at the residence of N. W. Bell on Grand avenue, in the thirty-third year of his age. He leaves to mourn his untimely death a sorrowing mother, who was summoned from her home in Bridgeport, Ct., to be at his bedside. The cause of Mr. Latham's death was lung fever, contracted several weeks ago. The remains will be taken East for interment. The adjourned meeting of the new

mains will be taken East for interment. The adjourned meeting of the new Merchants' Protective Association was held in the rooms of the Board of Trade Thursday evening and twenty-five members signed the constitution. It is said the "slow payers" have been stirred up by the formation of the association and are quietly putting themselves to rights with the local merchants, in order that their "rating" in the books may be more to their credit.

Important Street Improvement,
The proposition to continue and improve Terrace Drive is being modified, and in the shape in which it is now presented will be one of the most important improvements projected on the west side of town for several years. It is proposed to extend the drive along the line of Pasadena avenue from Colorado street on Terrace to the point where the intersection of the two streets occurs, and thence south to Columbia street, thus making a continuous boulevard eighty feet wide about the base of the hill, and a driveway which, together with Orange Grove avenue, encircles the finest residence portion of Pasadena. The unsightly jogs in Pasadena avenue would thus be thrown into graceful curves, and the property along the entire line be benefited. Near Colorado street, Messrs. Thomas and Ball have recently made handsome improvethus making a continuous boulevard elghty feet wide about the base of the hill. and a driveway which, together with Orange Grove avenue, encircles the finest residence portion of Pasadena the unsightly jogs in Pasadena avenue would thus be thrown into graceful curves, and the property along the entire line be benefited. Near Colorado street, Messrs. Thomas and Ball have recently made handsome improvements, but they are willing that these should be removed and the proposed work accomplished. There was a meeting of several of the interested property-owners this morning, and the utmost enthusiasm for the project was expressed. P. M. Green, B. F. Ball, E. R. Hull, Dr. G. Roscoe Thomas, Senator Barker, James Smith, F. H. Monroe, George F. Kernaghan, E. F. Lockwood and a representative of Mr. Claypool were present, and others who were unable to attend personally expressed their opproval of the plan. A committee consisting, of Messrs. Lockwood, Smith and Kernaghan, was appointed to make a personal inspection of the plan.

Will Orr and Mrs. Cora Smith, his cousin, who is visiting his father's family, were the recipients of a surprise party at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Orr on East Walnut street Thursday evening. The parlors and diningthe color scheme being artistically sup-plemented by red-shaded lamps and wax tapers with shades the color of wax tapers with shades the color of the roses. During the evening the guests were entertained with music on the mandolin by Will Orr and Mr. Prince, Mrs. Smith accompanying on the piano. Frank Orr and Perle Bassett gave vocal selections, and solos were rendered on the piano by Mimes. Smith and Orr. A dainty and delightful menu was served, each guest being presented with a souvenir in the form of a golden butterfly. The festivities were continued into the "wee sma'" hours. Among those present were: Frank Orr. Eugene Bassett, the Misses Virlam and Henderson of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Perle Bassett, Miss Aron, Mr. Prince and others.

### WOMAN AND THE LAW.

MEETING OF THE SHAKESPEARE CLUB OF PASADENA.

interesting Address by G. A. Gibbs on "Woman's Legal Status in California"—Much Better Treated Than in Other States.

At the regular meeting of the Shakespeare Club this afternoon, G. A. Gibbs addressed the members upon "Woman's Relation to the Laws of Property and Inheritance in California," and his address was not only exceedingly profitable, but very interesting. He was called upon to answer many practical questions upon the subject.

Mr. Gibbs began by saying there was no mystery in the law, and in this State there was little basis for the claim that is frequently made by women that the law does not protect them equally with men. He stated there might be some good reasons wherefore man was favored by the law more than women, and in the course of the remarks he pointed out these instances and explained the nature of the discriminations and the causes for them.

Without any attempt a rhetorical effect, Mr. Gibbs presented to the women of the club a logical and able view of the laws of succession and the justice of these laws. Community property was treated at length, and the powers it conferred and the limitations to which it is subjected were clearly set forth. The nature of gift as meant by law was brought forth; the amount of an estate that a person can legally-convey to a charity by will was stated, and the reason for the limitation. The exemptions of law in favor of a widow, and the allowances made by court for the support of families, pending the settlement of an estate, were also touched upon, and the origin of community laws explained.

Mr. Gibbs reminded the women that however true the complaint of the law's injustice to married women might be in other States of the Union, California was liberal in its treatment of the fair sex. He paid a high tribute to women as clients and litigants, and said that in his practice he had found them able to see into the intricacles of the law, to comprehend legal technicalities, and willing to pay for the services of an attorney.

After Mr. Gibbs's address. Dr. Gilmore was called upon. She explained to the club that in driving from her home down Garfield and Marengo avenues, her man

club.

The discussion by the club of practical work for the next year was considered for the remainder of the ses-

Brownie Club was entertained by Miss Stone Thursday evening at the residence of Mr, end Mrs. Wier on Madison avenue, the evening being given over to the discussion of the lives and works of some of the great women of modern times. Miss Woodruff spoke of George Ellot and her work; Mr. Sisson chose the Carey sisters as his theme, and Miss Gates related the story of the life and struggles of Fannie Fern; Harriet Beecher Stowe was discussed by Mr. Caruthers, Jennie Lind by Miss Monfort, Florence Nightingale by Mr. Beach and Dorothy Dix by Miss Chamberlain. Miss Stone chose Helen Hunt Jackson as her subject, and Mr. Collingwood spoke of the work of the Red Cross Society. Margaret Fulley was the theme of Mr. Chamberlain's brief speech. Refreshments were served after the programme was completed.

#### MOUNT LOWE.

lar Correspondence.) Col. William Heron, a prominent business man of

#### WHITTIER.

WHITTIER.
WHITTIER, May 15.—(Regular Correspondence.) A barn belonging to C.
A. Landreth was burned yesterday morning. The fire started in some baled hay in one end of the barn. J. Stevens and family occupied the other portion, and barely escaped with their lives. Their household goods and some farming implements were burned.

Mrs. N. M. Arnold has gone to San José to attend the Christian Endeavor convention.

convention.

O. Cash and V. Trueblood have gone on a canvassing trip through Ontario

fir. Prince and others.

Fire in South Pasadena.

The residence of A. A. Burrows in louth Pasadena was totally destroyed by fire about 4 o'clock this aftermoon. The fire originated from a lamp overwhich one of the young women of the amily was curling her hair, the lace urtains accidentally igniting and setting fire to the building. Most of the ontents were removed. The loss on he building was covered by insurance, the house was a two-story frame, and out 1350 five years ago.

#### BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES

Los Angeles, May 15, 1896.

CHARACTER OF BANK CLEARINGS. In an address delivered a few
weeks ago to a gathering of bankers
by E. B. Hepburn, president of the
Third National Bank of New York, he
made the following statement in regard
to the unreliable character of bank
clearings in many of the cities of the
country:

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"The exchanges of the various clearing-houses of the United States are published weekly, compiled by cur financial journals, commented upon, and relied upon as reliable data indicating the course of trade and commerce. In order that this information may be reliable, it is important that these reports be uniform in their character, and based upon exact statistical information. A number of the smaller cities report not only the exchanges they take to the clearing-house, but also the exchanges that are taken away—in other words, both the debits and credits—in other words, they double the exchanges each day."

Referring to this important matter, Bradstreet's has the following sensible remarks:

"Readers of Bradstreet's reports of bank clearings will notice something familiar in this suggestion. For years, in and out of season, Bradstreet's has called the attention of clearing-house managers to the importance of a uniform system of reporting clearings. In a number of instances, where the system of counting both sides of the account have been used, Bradstreet's has labored, with some success, to induce a number of manager to adopt the plan pursued at the New York and other clearing-houses of counting only totals of exchanges brought to the clearing-house. Within the past week oup efforts in this direction have been offenders in this direction. Yet, there still remain clearing-houses, it is unnecessary to mention names of cities which have seen the erring of their ways and reformed, but readers of Bradstreet's will not be slow to remember names of some important centres which have seen offenders in this direction. Yet, there still remain clearing-houses which refuses to adopt methods pursued at the more important clearing houses which resues to adopt methods pursued at the more important clearing houses in lines practically apart from the banks. If these erroneous methods of clearings of elearings consists in merely adding of clearings consists in merely adding to the proper total; but, in case cities, when

#### COMMERCIAL.

THE CASH SYSTEM. A correspond-ent of a Massachusetts paper gives the following excellent reasons why grocers

following excellent reasons why grocers should not give long credits:

"Grocers sell goods right and left on credit, incurring great expense for teams and extra men, selling to irresponsible parties amounting to a large sum of money, when they would not dare to loan the same person \$5. The result of this is that a great many people don't live according to what they earn, and some of them will spend nearly all their week's pay for liquor, simply because they can leave their grocery bill until later. Others will, through mismanagement, buy twice as much goods as they need because they can have them so easy on long credit. Some will buy from peddiers, extra nice albums, imported clocks, lamps, planos, organs and all kinds of notions that their incomes don't allow them to buy, but, because they can get their groceries, meat, etc. on long credit. Some others don't intend to pay at all. Their object is to get all they can in one grocery store and then go to another. Some others don't intend to pay at all. Their object is to get all they can in one grocery store and then go to another. Some families are proud in saying that they owe but three or four hundred, and why? Because they can get trusted so easy. Some grocers may say that is none of my business whether they sell or give away their goods, but one thing is sure, they would render a favor to many people by insisting on having their pay for goods. It would lead them to look for the strictly necessary things of life first, and then it would not force a good many of them to have their names unworthy of credit, who do not mean to be dishonest, but are led that way by getting credit too easy. The grocers, I think, would be able to stand all the benefit there is in it."

José to attend the Christian Endeavor convention.

O. Cash and V. Trueblood have gone on a canvassing trip through Ontario county.

A. Given left for San Francisco yesterday.

The ladies of the Methodist Episcopal Church will give a social on the evening of May 23. All are invited.

Messrs. Stern & Goodman of Fullerton have bought out L. E. Wade's grocey business.

There was a large gathering of friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Way last evening, to celebrate the twentieth anniversary of their wedding. A large pumber of valuable gifts were presented by the guests.

Mrs. B. F. Rider of Rivera has purchased five acres on North Pickering avenue from G. Hunniout.

Tom Weed has recovered from the la grippe, and is again at work in the broom factory.

LA HABRA VALLEY.

The schoolhouse bonds were sold at auction last week to J. H. Gule of Fullerton for 13084.

Mr. Gould has built a large barn on his ranch, and will soon lay the foundation for a two-story residence.

W. J. Hole has planted Concord and Delaware grapevines from Indiana on his ranch.

E. Wheetland and J. Morris went to Santa Ana Wednesday.

California Fruit Grower: The State Labor Commissioner of Mains has recently published the results of this investigations of the returns from twenty-right creameries in his State.

These show that eighteen factories, with 5086 cows padd the owners of the cows an average of 134.22 per cow, and ten factories with 4516 cows, paid 330-39 per cow. This made an average per cow of 325.06, for the entire lot of 15, 571 cows. Average price of butter per pound, 25. cents. The Commissioner deduced from these figures that cows producing only 150 pounds of butter propoud, 25. cents. The Commissioner deduced from these figures that cows producing only 150 pounds of butter per pound, 25. cents. The Commissioner deduced from these figures that cows producing only 150 pounds of butter propoud, 25. cents. The Commissioner deduced from these figures that cows producing only 150 pounds of butter propoud, 25. cents. The Commissioner AGRICULTURE AND MANUFAC-TURING. Reference was recently made in The Times to an effort that is being

"was only five eighths of the value of the agricultural products. The growth of the industry has been so rapid, how-ever, that manufacturing outstripped farming thirty years ago, and the last census showed that the value of manu-factured articles was more than three times the value of all that agriculture yielded." The figures for fifty years are given as follows:

VALUE OF PRODUCTS.

BROOMS AND BROOM CORN. The Peoria, Ill., Journal gives information regarding brooms and broom corn as follows.

#### LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Wholesale Quotations Revised Daily.

LOS ANGELES, May 15, 1896.

Eggs are weak despite the siloris to hold up the price. Some dealers are asking 14c. Butter is comparatively steady. Cheese has weak-each this week. There have been some shipments from the North, owing to the fact that the low price of butter there has compelled dairymen to make more cheese than the already congested market could use. Frices in the Los Angeles market, local dealers say, had nothing to do with shipments this way, as there is always more or less northern cheesent to Los Angeles. It cuts very little figure here, however, as local dealers prefer the Southern California make. Dried fruits are dull and unchanged.

(The following quotations are for average grades of the products manilosed. For an extra choice article a somewhat better price than the highest quoted can usually be obtained, while for a product of decidedly inferior quality the seller will probably have to accept less than the lewest published quotation.) Wholesale Quotations Revised Daily.

Provisions.

Hams—Per lb., Rex. 114; Eagle, 3½; plenie, 6½; bonaless, 5½; bonaless butts, 9; selected "mild cure," 9½.

Bacon—Fancy Rex. bonaless, 13; Rex. bonaless brankfast, 10; Diamond C, breakfast backs, 7½; medium, 6½,6%.

Dry Salt Pork—Per lb., clear beilles, 7½; short clears, 6; clear backs, 5½.

Dried Beef—Sets, 10; insides and knuckles, 11; results, 5½. Dried Beef-Bets, 10; insides and knuckies, it regular, 5.
Pickled Fork-Per half bbl., 30 lbs., 3.00.
Lard-Rex, Pure Leaf, terces, 54; kettle, rendered. 50s. 5%; Ivory lard compound, 546; Rexolene, 6; White Label lard, 10s, 6%.

Eggs. Apples—Per Ib, 465; evaporated, 467; Apricets—10011, Apricets—10011, Panches—Per Ib, 254,04. Prunes—Per Ib, 498; Raisins—Per Ib, 14,0314, Dates—Per Ib, new, 04,04.

Asparagus, 7.
Celery-60.
Beans-6.
Peas-3.
Beets-Per 100 lbs., 90696.
Cabbage-Per 100 lbs., 75.
Chiles-Dry. per string, 80; Mexican, per lb., 15: reren, 15.
Garlie-7.
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Potatoes—Per 100 lbs., local, 30@1.00 per ack: Oregon, 1.00@1.10; Nevadas, 1.00@1.10; sweet, 2.5; new, 30@1.10.
Turnips—Per sack, 75.
Tomatoes—1.40.
Radishes—30.
Bpinach—30.
('autiflower—40.
Rhubarb—1.40.
Artichokes—25@30.
Squash—Summer, 1.15.

Fresh Ments.
Butchers' prices for wholesale carcasses:
Beef—Prims, 5@3%.
Veal—5@7.
Mutton—Ewes, 4; wethers, 4½; lambs, 6@7.
Dressed Hogs—5@6.
Live Stock.
Hogs—Per out, 2.75.
Beef Cattle—Per cut, 2.50@2.75.
Lambs—Per head, 1.50@2.50.

Foultry.

Hens—4.00@4.50; youns roosters, 5.00; old

Hillstuff.

Flour-Per bbl., Los Angeles, 4.00; other brands, 3.062.60; Stockton, 4.55; graham, 1.90.

Bran-Per ton, 19cel, 17.00; northern, 17.009 11.00.

Shorts-Per ton, 19cel, 17.00; northern, 17.009 11.00.

Rolled Barley-Per ton, 18.00.
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Cheese-Southern California, large, 10; Young Americs, 11; hand, 12; eastern cheddars and twins, 132915; brick creams, 152017; fancy northern, 2015; fair northern, 708; Limburgre, 16917; American Swiss, 142916; imported Swiss, 24.

Bradstreet's Review.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say that general trade throughout the country remains quiet, wholesale merchants continue conservative, and distribution of general merchandine is almost of a hand-to-mouth character. South and Southwest buildings remains duil and featureless, and unchanged from last week. At larger eastern centers travelers are preparing to start out, but unchanged from last week. At larger eastern centers travelers are preparing to start out, but unchanged from last week. At larger eastern centers travelers are preparing to start out, but unchanged from last week. At larger eastern centers travelers are preparing to start out, but unchanged from last week. At larger eastern centers travelers are preparing to start out, but unchanged from both coats of the United States this week amount to 1817,000 bushels are the start out, 1820,000 bushels in the 1820 week amount to 1821,000 bushels are seen as compared with 1,887,000 bushels in the 1820 week amount to 1,827,000 bushels in the 1820 week amou

Bank Clearings, NEW YORK. May 15.—The following table, compiled by Bradatreet's, shows the total clearances at the principal cities, and the percentage of increase or decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year:

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NEW YORK MARKETS.

Shares and Money.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE)

NEW YORK, May 15.—The volume of business in stocks was on a brilling scale lodgy, but a slight improvement in regard to the distribution of the trading was noted. Commission-house orders were completions by their absence, and the feature of the speculation was a signing tendency, to Indication. Ay tired foreign and demestic holders of securities. As a group, the Indicatival shares were out-classed by the railroad list in extent of transactions, although Sugar by far exceeded the total record for any individual stock. There was an element of humor to the distributions of the state of the s the total record for any individual stock. There was an element of humor to the disinjerested observer in the attempted explanations of the duliness of the market, and a few labored movements that were noted. The decline received its initiative from Europe, Representative foreign houses received liberal selling orders in the prominent international shares. The traders took their cue from these sales and exerted prissure against the list all day, making special efforts against some of the specialities. The gold engagements were only about one-half as large as had been expected to ship coin were said to have been unable to cover their exchange on advantageous terms. An interesting development was a call by the Treasury Department upon the depository banks for 50 per cent. of their holdings of government money, to be paid in on or before June 1. This will withdraw from the channels of circulation about \$4.500,000, and it is intimated that a further call of a similar amount, cleaning up the account of the bankers with the government, may be made on obefore June 10. The call did not influence the speculation and was not reflected in the money market, owing to the plethora of funds at this center, both for foreign and domestic accounts, and the continued large receipts of currency in the interior. The report of the Union Pacific system for March was published and was considered a rather favorable exhibit. Sugar and Lead preferred were the weakest of the high-priced industrials, selling of 1%[01%] per cent. Bonds were quiet and without notable change in the leading issues. Some facultations occurred in the less active mortgages. The sales were \$50,000. Government bonds advanced slightly on dealings of \$25,000.

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May 15.—The official mining stocks today

were as follows:
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Con. Imperial .... 4
Con. New York., 7
Crown Point .... 82

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GENERAL BASTERN MARKETS. Grain and Produce. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE) Grain and Profince.

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CHICAQO, May 15.—Wheat was nervous and easily influenced, but price changes were unimportant up to noon, when the arket was about where it closed last slight. There was about where it closed last slight. There was thour of sufficient important to his the same thour of sufficient important of his same about the price, and what fittle functuation there was was due to the limited amount of buying and selling that transpired. At the opening prices were a trifle firmer, but the custations during the early part of the assistantions during the early part of the assistantion amounted to only 46% of the reliability. When the New York disarances came in the sufficient of the same in the same in

NEW YORK, May 15.—The Evening Post's London financial cablegram says that the stock markets were active and buoyant, but closed under the best. The chief feature was the increased activity and the big rise in West Australian mines. Kaffirs were dull. Consolis were strong at 1124 and English ratiroada were again in favor. American securities were dull on the disappointingly small response in Wall street presentary to the spurchers. South American, particularly Arganius securities, have been booming, but closed under the best prices. Money is still tight.

KAMSAS CITY (Mo...) May 15.—Cattle receipts were 3500 head; shipments, 1300. The market was steady to 10e lower. Beef steers, 2.0094.15; native cows. 1.7508.40; stockers and feeders, 2.7503.0; built, 2.1092.30.

WASHINGTON May 15.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$267,508,508; gold reserve, \$114,689,736.

BOSTON, May 15.—Atchison, 14%; Bell Telephone, 205; Burlington, 78%; Mexican, 19%; San Diego, 10.

London Silver.

LONDON, May '5.—Silver, 3144; consols

#### SAN PRANCISCO MARKETS.

Grain and Froduce.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Flour.—Family extras, 2.7562.85; bakers' extras, 2.5562.61; superfine, 2.5562.60; Wheat-No. 1 shipping, 1.054.01.0714; choft, 1.084.01.0714; choft, 1

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SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—Flour, quarter ancks, 11,541; Oregon, 10,770; Washington, 2423; wheat, centais, 31,971; Oregon, 2500; harley, centais, 2700; Oregon, 180; cats, Oregon, centais, 2000; beans, sacks, 110; potatious, sacks, 383; Oregon, 630; colona, sacks, 393; Oregon, 630; colona, sacks, 397; hay, tona, 462; hopa, bales, 15; fax seed, Washington, sacks, 225; wool, bales, 55; wina gallona, 65,300; hides, number, 181; quickulver, facks, 100.

Drafts and Silver. SAN FRANCISCO, May 15. Gilver bars, 68%; Mexican dollars, 54%605; deafts, sight, 13%; drafts, telegraph, 15.

Callboard Sales. SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—Wheat starty December, 1.04%; barley, no trading; cara, 10; bran, 16,00.

She Told Him So. (Yonkers Statesman:) He. Oh, dear-est, I have lost everything I ever had. She. There! I have always said those horrible cigarettes would rob you of your brains.

How is This?

### Does Your Heart Jump?



When you hav in and at most taxing to sleep can you test your hears
skip a best—stop for a second and these
seem to jump to catch up with the time
lost? That is one of the symptoms of nervous debility, also of indigestion. It means
that you need something to build up your
vital or nerve force. Electricity is the
greatest known aid to the nerves. Dr. Sanden's Electric Beit is acknowledged by physicians as the best electric treatment for
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When a remedy has the indersement of people in all sections of the State it must be worth trying. If you are not well, if your nerves are not strong, or you have any nickness, it will cure you. Try it, best, it will cure you. Try it, best and the second of the sec

# HERNCALIFORNIA NEWS

#### ORANGE COUNTY.

THE CHINESE MURDER.

leved to Have Been the Work of Highbinders-Mrs. Anderson Kills Herself at Fullerton. Burial of a Chinese Woman.

SANTA ANA, May 15 .- (Regular Cor NTA ANA May 15.—(Regular Cor-ordence.) Excitement still runs here among the Chinese popula-over the murder, on Thursday ring, of Ah Yim, alias Yom Doy, of their number, a woman about 35

There is now but little doubt that the crime is a result of the work of high-binders. Some of the more Americanized of the Chinamen here are beginning to talk, and this is the substance of their conclusions. It is claimed by them that the woman who was so cowardly murdered belonged to a different "company" than the one to which belongs the fellow who was arrested at Newport Beach by Deputy Sheriff Emmett Frankilin, and it is now generally conceded by the local Celestials that this man, Wong Yuing, instead of Long Hung, as reported yesterday, will have a pretty hard time in explaining away a number of mysterious affairs in containing the company to which be belongs. Wong Yuing the belongs. Wong Yuing trembled like an aspen leaf yesterday when he was driven up in front of the County Jall upon his forced return from Newport Beach, and affer he was placed in an iron cell he seemed more composed, for on the outside were many Chinamen, whose locks boded no good to him.

Today (Friday) he was taken up to the photograph gallery and a good likeness of him obtained.

The officers are confident that they have one of the murderers in the person of Wong Yuing, but there are others, and the minions of the law are after them.

SUICIDE AT FULLERTON. years of age.

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terson, housekeeper for Mr. East, a verominent resident on Piacentia average, had committed suicide.

The details of the case could not be earned today, but just before the close of this report, word came that an injuest had been held, and the Coroner's ary rendered a verdict of death from miknown causes.

FORMER SANTA ANAN MARRIED.

A message has come to Santa Ana, in which is the information that on Wednesday of this week, G. Abram Smith, well known in musical circles throughout this county and in Los Angeles, was married to Miss Nellie M. Dawson of Belvidere, Ill.

Mr. Smith met Miss Dawson some time age while he was filling an engagement with a travelling musical troupe, in which he was carrying a heavy part, and the attachment seems to have been mutual. His many friends here and in Los Angeles will be pleased to hear of this latest venture of the big-voiced Abram.

A CHINESE FUNERAL.

Ah Him, alias Yom Doy, the mur-ered Chinese woman, was laid to rest bout 4:30 lo'clock this afternoon in he Santa Ana Cemetery. A friend of the deceased arrived from Los An-eles on the afternoon train with the chinese burial robe, and an hour later the woman lay in her casket at the undertaking pariors ready for the last sad rites to be performed. Her robe was, of course, of the finest texture of silk, and no matter what her previous life had been, she now having apparently atoned for it all, was wrapped in the finest of raiment. Just before the march was taken up for the cemetery, the remains were viewed by hundreds of men, women and children partially, of course, through curl.

Col. Churchill of Ohio has been fishing patiently every day since his arrival and today was rewarded with a fine bass. ese burial robe, and an hour later d partially through sympathy.

ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES. Miss Susie Morris, who has been a resident of Santa Ana for the past year or more, departed a few days ago for her old home in San Antonio Tex., for an extended visit. She will probably return to this valley to permanently reside in the not-far-distant future.

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The Democratic primaries will be held throughout Orange county tomorrow (Saturday,) to select delegates to the county donvention to meet in Santa Ana May 23, to select delegates to the State convention, to select delegates to the National Democratic Convention.

D. F. Spangler's wave-motor at Nowhort was started up a few days ago, and ran beautifully until Thursday, when an unusually low tide caused the breaking of one of the heavy beams. It will probably be a couple of weeks before the break is made good.

R. R. Staples of Anaheim has gone to Victor, San Bernardino county, here his son has extensive mining intests. Mr. Staples will be in the mines for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Caroline Hunf of Santa Ana has been appointed administratrix of the estate of the late T. D. Hunf. Mrs. Hunf will furnish a \$35,000 bond.

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Huff will furnish s. 35,000 Bond.

Edward R. Amerige of Fullerton sold three lots in block 15 of the town of Fullerton to E. D. Gage of Mendocino county, for \$1200.

The pulpit in the Methodist Episcopal Church at Orange will be filled Sunday next by the Rev. William Birch. George A. Ruddock of Minnesota is in Fullerton visiting his son, George A. Ruddock.

Freparations for Sinking Petroleum
Wells-Railroad Building.

SAN BERNARDINO, May is.—(Regular Correspondence.) W. E. Van Slyke, L. C. Currier and H. M. Barton went to Los Angeles Thursday to arrange for machinery for sinking the first petroleum will on the San Timoteo Hills, where so many flings have recently been made. It had been expected to begin drilling this week, but the work has been necessarily postponed for a few days. As soon as the needed machinery can be secured, work will be begun. The company having this work in hand is composed of some very strong men financially and 11600 has been paid in with which to begin operations.

RAILROAD BUILDING.

REV. MR. TAYLOR INSTALLED.

Rev. R. B. Taylor was on last Thursday evening formally installed as pastor of the Presbyterian Church, in which position he has served informally for the past year. The church had been beautifully decorated for the occasion, Rev. Dr. Parker of Orange delivered an appropriate sermon, and was followed by Rev. H. H. Rice of Pomona in a charge to the congregation. Rev. M. H. McLeod of Ontario gave the charge to the pastor, the large audience the joining heartily in an informal reception to Rev. Mr. Taylor.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES. Rev. Dean True, D.D., of Los Angees is expected to officiate at the ordination of Rev. H. A. Brown Sunday

morning.

Another match shoot between the citizens' and militia rifle teams will take place Sunday.

Asa A. Hewlett and Maud R. Raynor, both of San Bernardino, have been granted a marriage license.

José Gomes, held for a robbery of Slusher & Merrill's store at Chino, pleaded guilty today and was sentenced by Judge Otis to serve three years in San Quentin.

#### SAN PEDRO.

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Taken Soon. SAN PEDRO, May 15.—(Regular Correspondence.) It is expected that soundings of the inner harbor will be respondence.) It is expected that soundings of the inner harbor will be taken within a few weeks. Maj E. L. B. Davis of the corps of engineers of the United States Engineer's office at San Franciscy is expected daily. Usually annual soundings have been taken, but sometimes an interval of two years is permitted to elapse between measurements. Comparisons of the official charts prepared on a basis of these measurements have shown that where there was formerly shallow water not far back of the mouth of the inner harbor the construction of the inner harbor the construction of the breakwater has had the effect of deepening the harbor at that point, more sand being carried away by the outgoing tide than is brought in and deposited by the incoming tide. If the appropriation for the dredging of the inner harbor be made, as it is expected it will be, a good deal of interest will attach to the soundings soon to be taken. Dredging work is in some respects like street grading, where the official grade of the street comes below the natural contour of the land. The soundings will show fust how much dredging must be done at each point in order to bring the bottom "down tograde." A week or more will probably be consumed in taking the soundings for with some of the work it is impossible to take measurements accurately except under certain conditions of weather and tide.

BREVITIES.

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An eight-months old child of Deputy Customs Collector Bell died Monday.

The schooners Azalia and Charles E. Falk were towed out to sea simultaneously Tuesday, and there is a wager between the two captains as to which can make Puget Sound first.

Considerable quantities of coal lost in the inner hartor from boats years ago are being recovered with grappling hooks.

A barrel of corned beef was stolen from the schooner Bertha Dolbeer Thursday evening. BREVITIES.

AVALON, (Catalina Island,) May 14.—(Regular Correspondence.) The fishing smack Alpha returned to San Pedro this evening loaded with sardines, having hauled in seven tons this morning in Avalon Bay. A big yellowtail somehow got mixed up with the smaller fry and was hauled in with the net load of sardines. The other day the Alpha took in five tons off Little, Harbor. The company at San Pedro which sends out the Alpha has orders ahead for sardines for two years and they are being put up as fast as possible.

Prof. Laing and F. Etheridge caught

ing patiently every day since his arrival and today was rewarded with a fine bass.

Mrs. J. B. Banning, nurse and two children, Mrs. W. L. Banning, and Miss May Banning have gone to Los Angeles for a few days and on Saturday will join Capt. Banning and a party of friends for a tally-ho trip to the Banning ranch in Ventura county.

J. G. Chamberlain, of the Los Angeles Iron Rolling Mills, arrived at the Metropole by tonight's steamer, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Mrs. Pillsbury, and his son, Lee Chamberlain of Columbus, O. Mr. Chamberlain will join his old-time friend, Col. Churchill, on a fishing trip tomorrow.

F. C. Sumner, electrician for the Los Angeles theater, who has been spending several days at the Aloha, accompanied by his wife, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. McKensie of Denver, G. F. Simonds of South Acton, Mass., Mrs. Y. Quigley and Miss Palmer of Los Angeles, arrived at the Metropole tonight.

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ONTARIO, May 15—Regular Correspondence.) The directors of the San Antonio Water Company met in solemn session Thursday afternoon. President Andrews electrified the board with some panegyrics anent expenditures and receipts, the former receiving the greater attention. For a long time the debit side of the company's books has been the most littered up with figures, and Mr. Andrews very forcibly suggested that a halt be called in water development till there was money in the treasury to prosecute this work. The matter will come up for a second hearing at the next meeting of the board.

RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

BORGE B. SILLIMAN KILLED BY

Little Girl's Narrow Escape from Being Poisoned-Drank a Quan-tity of Iodine-Sentence for a Robber-News Notes.

RIVERSIDE, May 15.—(Regular Correspondence.) A little daughter of H. P. Zimmerman on Thursday found a bottle of lodine and drank considerable of the drug. Prompt administration of an emetic resulted in saving the child's life, after suffering for a few hours.

At noon George B. Silliman, a well-known abstract man of San Bernardino. was driving with Mr. Hughes on Indiana avenue, when his horse became frightened and ran away. Both were thrown out and Silliman was instantly killed. His age was 35. He was an Odd Fellow, and a nephew of Prof. Silliman of Yale College.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES. RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

Charles McVlcar, who was convicted of enticing Frank Hannon into the park to be robbed, has been sentenced by Justice Chambers to imprisonment for 150 days, with an alternative of a fine of \$150.

A nickel-in-the-slot machine, stolen from the Brunswick Billiard Parlor six months ago, was found yesterday in a culvert. It had been rified and practically destroyed.

pected to begin operations in a few days.

John Sames, who was found in a starving condition in a shanty Wednes-day, is in a precarious condition.

The funeral of George F Manwaring Thursday was under the auspices of the Odd Fellows.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

"Municipal Ownership Clab" Joins the Water Fight.

SAN DIEGO, May 15.—(Regular Correspondence.) The representative citizens of this city expressed on Thursday their disapprobation of the proposed water scheme of Mr. Babcock, whereby the taxpayers are asked to pungle up \$1,500,000 for a scheme regarded as utterly at variance with the desires of the people. About two hundred of the most prominent people organized "The Municipal Ownership Club." This club favors "sole municipal ownership of the city water supply and distributing."

It expressed opposition to the Southern California Mountain Water Company's scheme because "it does not give municipal ownership; it is only a contract to furnish water, which the company may or may not perform, even though works are constructed as proposed; it is indefinite and uncertain what sort of a water system will be constructed, there being neither plans nor specifications for either the sam at Moreno or the conduit from there to the place of delivery to the city; it is complicated and intricate, involving the rights of third parties and may lead to endless litigation; its practicability has never been passed upon by any hydraulite engined of experience and professional reputation, which good business sanse would require; the issue of \$1,500,000 in bonds in addition to those now outstanding will completely exhaust the city's credit and leave nothing for a City Hall, park improvements or for any other purpose whatsoever; if the dam or conduit should be destroyed and the company should be unable or unwilling to reconstruct and the system should revert to the city as provided in said contract, the city having exhausted its credit, would be powerless to protect itself or rebuild the system."

These are some of the reasons why the taxpayers are opposed to the contract are the men who pay the bills of San Diego. They are not figureheads, bankrupts or sycophants seeking personal gain. In this movement they are asserting their rights as taxpayers and free citizens who do not wear the co

judgment-proof agent. E. S. Babcock. The General Committee of the club includes such men as:
B. R. Arnold, Capt. W. S. Hinkle, John H. Gay, E. W. Bushyhead, J. G. Jones, A. N. Bradshaw, George W. HassardJohn Snyder, Col. G. G. Brodt, Charles N. Clark, R. A. Thomas, Jesse Gilmore, Judge W. McNealy, Charles D. Long, L. L. Boone, Heber Inglee, D. C. Collier, Sr., Jerry Toles, Dr. T. R. Burnhan George Hannahs, Capt. J. Marshall, R. H. Dalton, Col. John Kastle, D. P. Hale, John F. Sinks, A. L. Ross, Capt. M. Sherman, R. P. Niles C. L. Josselyn, George R. Harrison, T. E. Metcalf, A. D. Norman, Dr. R. Nicols, J. A. Helpingstine, Dr. C. Reed, J. S. Harbison, Nathan Watts, T. C. Higgins, C. H. Low, Capt. J. H. Smith, The Executive Committee of the club consists of D. C. Reed, Capt. J. H. Santh, C. H. Eushyhead. The Finance Committee includes C. L. Josselyn, J. G. Capron, Charles N. Clark, R. H. Dalton, George W. Hassard.
A Literary Committee of L. L. Boone, Heber Ingle and Judge W. E. McNealy was appointed.
This meeting is one of the most significant public actions taken by the people here in years. It signified a general apprehension by the respected men of this city that a grave danger menaces. San Diego's welfare and that the time has arrived to call a halt with a view to turning out the public rascals who have so audactously trified with the sacred rights of the people for so long a time. The meeting was conducted in a straightforward, businessike, quiet manner that greatly impresside all who attended it.
ESCONDIDO OIL COMPANY.
Articles of incorporation have been

ESCONDIDO OIL COMPANY. Articles of incorporation have been filed by the Escondido Oil and Gas Company to bore for oil three miles northwest of Escondido. The capital stock is \$50,000. The directors Peter Schnack, W. P. James, J. Worth, George H. Andrew, R. E. Gibbs, S. K. Poling, C. B. Churchill, J. M. Hambaugh.

SAN DIEGO BREVITIES.

Emma Voetzel is granted a divorce from Daniel Voetzel. H.M.S. Icarns sailed for Esquimault today.

school Census Completed-Endowment for Pomona College.

POMONA, May 15.—(Regular Correspondence.) The school census just completed by Walter A. Lewis presents some satisfactory as well as interesting facts regarding the steady growth of this community and the nature of this growth. The whole number of children below the age of 17 years aggregates the respectable figure of 2048, all of whom, with the exception of eight, are native-born. Of this total number there are 1534 within the school age, between 5 and 17 years—leaving 514 below the minimum age, § years; of the 1834 of school age all but seventeen are white children, of whom there are five more boys than girls—the other seventeen heigt two findians boys and fifteen negro children, nine of whom are girls. Of the 514 under 5 years of age, all except six are white children, the six being negroes. Of the number between the school ages—5 and 17—there are 1333 attending public school, eight in a private school and 193 out of school.

The census shows an increase of 187 children over that of a year ago, and upon a basis of three in population to every child, this would give Pomona 6144 inhabitants. This shows a result satisfactory to Pomonans, who well remember that the census as taken by the government in 1890 was almost 50 per cent. less than these figures—for schools and churches, as in everything else, "Pomona's all right."

"UNCLE" AUBURN'S STORY. School Census Completed-Endow ment for Pomona College.

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Edward S. Auburn, the dapper little Thespian, who came here with his alleged nieces from Fresno several weeks ago, as told in The Times, and who leased the Trundy residence on the corner of Third and Rebecta streets and robbed it of almost everything that could be easily carried away and sold, has been out on bail here since yesterday noon. Attorney Towner took an interest in Uncle Auburn. At the request of one of the nieces, Miss Maude King, he put up the bail bonds. The Auburn-King trio has been arrested on the charge of robbing the colored Methodies of Pomona of the door receipts at their vaudeville entertainment on Monday evening. Mrs. Trundy has not decided how to prosecute the despollers of her home and is waiting to see how much of the stolen property will be returned to her and whether she can get any pay for the rent of her home. Constable Slanker says that he believes Auburn and his "nieces," the three Misses King, have been over a good part of California in the past few years playing the same game in rural towns that they did in Pomona. They "UNCLE" AUBURN'S STORY.

three Musses King, have been over a good part of California in the past few years playing the same game in rural towns that they did in Pomona. They have learned well how to work church and temperance society people, and it has been a common trick of theirs to give an entertainment for a church fund and then to disappear before the door receipts were settled. Auburn admitted to Constable Sianker that the King girls are not his nieces, and that his relation of uncle was assumed merely to throw people off their guard when he lived and traveled with them. Auburn's claims to having come from Fresno seem to be true. He did live there until about a year ago, when he fell in love with the eldest King girl and started out to travel with her, when the other two sisters went along, too. He says he has wanted to "shake" the King girls for a long time, but that they won't let him get away from them. He declares that there was no intention of robbing Mrs. Trundy's house and that he and the girls were so nervous and weary after their work at the vaude-ville entertainment that they unwittingly packed all of Mrs. Trundy's china, glass and silverware in their trunks, carried off her blankets, linen and pillows in their bundles and stowed away articles of bric-a-brac in their own belongings.

The City Marshal from Riverside is expected here this evening on some business with Mr. Auburn and Miss Maude King.

BRAKEMAN INJURED.

Brakeman H. C. Hutchinson of freight train No. 48, fell from the top of a box car while switching in the Southern Pacific yards this afternoon. The extent of his injuries is not known, as he was conveyed to Los Angeles on the west-bound passenger train, which was at the depot at the time of the accident.

ENDOWMENT FOR POMONA COL-

LEGE.
The trustees, faculty and friends at large of Pomona College have been made jubilant over the receipt of \$25,000 as a Mary B. Cook (late wife of 000 as a Mary B. Cook (late wife of Prof. A. J. Cook of the college.) memorial fund from her father, C. H. Baldwin of Dayton, O. This now runs up the amount on the \$100,000 fund started by the Mrs. M. Field estate of Munson, Mass., January 15, 1896, with a 225,000 subscription, to \$67,000, and the friends of the college now feel sangulae that the full amount, \$100,000, will be forthcoming by the limit of time allowed in the requirements of the original proposition by the Mrs. M. Field estate, namely, that the full sum should be subscribed or raised by January 1, 1897, thus giving one year in which to secure the full donation.

GRAVELING ROADS.

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home, now finished in Pomona, have given such satisfaction as to agitate the question of the city government using its great supply of this decomposed red granite gravel, at the foot of San José hills within its public foot of San José hills within its public park property, in constructing a small amount of road run on the main streets entering the city every year, until Pomona could boast of good, respectable driveways on all the prominent thoroughfares lesding into or from the city. This gravel seems to pack almost as if it were really some sort of cement.

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The reports made by the banks in town at the close of business on May 7, as published in the local papers, show that this community is strong in a financial point of yiew.

The fruit-growers hereabouts feel sanguine that there will be a heavy crop is oranges this coming season, as the young fruit, of which there is the greatest abundance is sticking well.

The male portion of the membership of the Presbyterian Church in this place has formed a "fraternity" organization for the general promotion of the church and its interests. The members will hold their first meeting at the church this evening, and a paper will be given by T. S. Talmauge on "The Relationship of Religion and Business." H. J. St. John will discuss "Men's Work in the Church," and Dr. Edwin J. Haddied will talk upon "Fraternity."

At the meeting of the Woman's Council Saturday afternoon Mrs. A. W. Burt will present a paper on "Desirability of Forming an Equal Business."

The board of directors of the Board of Trade has selected officers as fall

Smith.

A car of lemons was shipped from

North Pomona to Chicago Thursday.

There were ten cars of barley received
there today (Friday) for dealers in Po-

will have about one-half of a full crop's yield of peaches and apricots this season.

The Rebekahs of this place will present "Hickory Farm" at Ontario on Thursday evening by next week.

The reduction of Pomona's incorporated limits, proposed by residents of some of the outlying districts, who are talking about a "seceding movement," would cut the city down to a little town within what is now known as the "free mail-delivery territory." A thorough-sifting of arguments will perhaps show that after all Pomona is a pretty good place of which to be a part.

The rainfall has been only 10.15 inches this season, and as the trade winds have commenced, it is probable there will be no material increase of the amount.

The stockholders have decided that the Hotel Palomares shall close its doors for the season on May 31.

The trial of E. S. Auburn, represented by Messrs. Thowner and Fleming, will be held before Justice Barnes and a fury on Tuesday morning, May 19, at 10 o'clock.

The funeral of Mrs. Delllah M., late wife of William Chaplin of East Fifth street, this city, was held from the residence at 9 o'clock this corning, Rev. F. M. Dowling officiating.

The funeral of John H. Schwan, late son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Schwan of West Ninth street, was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. B. C. Cory conducting the services. The young man was a member of the present High School graduating class.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY. Plans for a Magnificent Tourist

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Plans for a Magnificent Tourist Hotel.

SANTA BARBARA, May is.—(Regular Correspondence) Talk about big hotel enterprises and attractions, the rest of the world will not be in it along with Santa Barbara, it present contemplated plans are carried into execution. This is no idle rumor, but comes from a reliable source, and while the identity of the informante cannot at present be revealed, yet they are reliable residents and business people who guarantee that a fandon you the details decided upon, in comparison with whith any other western hotel enterprise dwindles into insignificance, and justice can only be done by referring to it as a rival of such world-famous regorts as Mentone, Nice, Caen and, possibly, one or two other European pleasure centers.

The Santa Barbara shemme is backed up are placed of the beat and parameter of the leading firm of arothers of the beat and parameter of the leading firm of arothers of the santa Barbara fronting on the beach, and spend many millions in its improvement, Representatives of this wealthy syndicate have been here, selected the site and arranged many of the details. The tractive in the world, and the main building thereon could swallow up a half-dosen structures like Millionaire. The grounds will include a magnificent jockey club, with race courses, that money, art and skill can produce. The grounds and every other kind of pleasure. There will be bath-houses the magnificence of which has never before been dreamed of in the West. The yachting outfit will be complete in every detail, and an effort will be made to turn the summer courist tide from this products and every other kind of pleasure. There will be bath-houses the magnificence of which has never before been dreamed of in the West. The yachting outfit will be complete in every detail, and an effort will be made to turn the summer courist tide from this produced to turn the summer courist tide from this produced to turn the summer courist tide from the world and when a conting the produced t

Santa Barbara is the place of all places for the permanent location of the world's ideal pleasure grounds. It seems almost incredible, and yet all must admit that it is entirely within the bounds of reason. The land and sea and sunshine are here in just the right proportions. Picturesque, romantic and legendary attractions are innumerable and unrivaled, and the other essentials, wealth, knowledge and determination, are now combining to make Santa Barbara what nature intended she should be—the greatest pleasure resort on the globe.

On June 20 the Santa Barbara Bust

SANTA BARBARA BREVITTES.
On June 20 the Santa Barbara Business College will close the most successful term of its existence. The many graduates have all found ready employment, and applications for office help have been so numerous that all could not be supplied.

Santa Barbara city will elect a School trustee on June 5 to succeed J. W. Taggart, term expired. Mr. Taggart was appointed to fill out the term of J. L. Truslow, resigned. C. A. Thompson is talked of as a probable candidate.

Ed de la Cuesta, Supervisor from the fourth district of this county, attended the convention of Supervisors at San José this week.

There is a little local political talk going the rounds. Sheriff Hicks says he is making no preparations for a campaign, because he has every confidence in the Supreme Court deciding in favor of the four-year term for county officials. Not a man has as yet been mentioned as a candidate for the Assembly from this district, but no less than three available candidates for State Senator can hear a humming in their bonnets. Senator Orr of Ventura, it is stated would take the nomination, but will make no fight for it. He is the incumbent and is said to concede that the office is due to Santa Barbara county, and suggests that Jack Boyce would be a good man to succeed him. Alex McLain of Lompoc is reported as having a leaning toward the "upper house."

Albert Pissis, a San Francisco millionaire and a member of the firm of Pissis & Moore, architects, which drew plans for the million-and-a-half Parrott building, and also for the Hibernia Bank building, left yesterday for San Francisco, after a brief business visit here Carpinteria is to have a new business house and a new stock of goods in the near future.

E. P. Dunn will continue in the management of the Arlington Hotel. The interest sof his late partner, ex-Mayor Gaty, deceased, will be represented by E. T. Powell, who has been appointed one of the administrators of the Gaty estate.

Attorney A. E. Putnam returned less night from a two weeks' business trip to San Francisco.

VENTURA COUNTY.

CROP PROSPECTS BRIGHTENING PRUIT-GROWERS ENCOURAGED.

The Petroleum Industry of Ventura. Storage Capacity in This City Largely Increased-Shipments and Oil Refining Catt for In-

VENTURA, May 15 .- (Regular Cor-VENTURA, May 15.—(Regular Correspondence.) Crop prospects are beginning to show decided signs of improvement. The only really serious outlook is for the barley crop, which experts claim will be practically a failure. Less than one-third of the acreage planted will mature. The usual crop figures up in the neighborhood of 450,000 sacks. up in the neighborhood of 450,000 sacks, which will this year be cut down to less than eighty thousand. Lima beans are quoted at \$2.35, with

no offerings in amount. The large holdings are being reinsured in warehouse and will be held until the value of the new crop can be determined. All the small holdings have been marketed, and planting is going on all over the county. The Thompson ranch is progressing better than any in the held

All the small holdings have been marketed, and planting is going on all over the county. The Thompson ranch is progressing better than any in the belt along the north side of the Santa Clara River, the beans planted early already showing above ground. The acreage planted to limas is fully one-third greater than last season, which will, under favorable conditions, result in the harvesting of a phenominally large crop. Small bean acreage has decreased, particularly the Lady Washington variety, which will be one-hall; short as compared to last season. These estimates are made from reports made by F. E. Bardard, W. W. Wilde and the larger farmers.

The prevailing sentiment is that the reports of short crops have been greatly exaggerated. One of the best-posted and most conservative bean-growers informed The Times representative yesterday that the stories of "bad year to come" have done the business interests of the county incalculable harm, and have but small foundation in fact, That the rain was so long delayed occasioned the first rumors, which have grown as time passed, until now they "won't down." The facts are that when the rain did come, and at each succeeding precipitation, the ground took it all up, and none was lost. At this writing bean land was never in better, condition or the conditions more favorable for the harvesting of the normal crop. If there has been any real danger it came from the winds, which this year have exceeded all past records, both in violence and frequency of occurrence.

The fruit crop, which was reported a dead failure, is developing in better shape than was first hoped for or expected. Apridots and prunes will be short, but not to the extent predicted by the alarmists. Orchards which report stated would be total failures, will mature from one-third to one-half short of last season, while others at this writing show indications by an average yield. The wainut crop will, if the conditions continue favorable, be one of the heaviest of record. The trees are in fine condition, and laden

a month, the butlook for Ventura as a thriving oil center is more than en-couraging. The prediction is made that within three years Ventura will jake its place as the leading oil center of the Pacific Coast.

HARMAN BARRANCA BRIDGE.

The Harman Barranca bridge was completed today, so far as the bridge proper is concerned. It is of steel and is one of the finest of its kind in this State. The total cost will reach about \$8500, but experts contend that it is cheap at that price, owing to the care which was taken in drawing up the specifications. It was built by the Los Angeles Bridge Company on contract. It will take about one week to complete the approaches, when it will be formally opened for traffic. Considerable opposition was made to the building of a steel bridge, but now that the work is completed congratulations are pouring in on the Board of Supervisors. The old wooden bridge, which is now a thing of the past, was one of the landmarks, and was removed none too soon, as Superintendent Arthur of the Los Angeles company, found when removing it that the main timbers were so badly sprung and rotted at the joints that it was miraculous that it held together. The Harman Barranca is one of the deepest in the county, averaging 90 to 100 feet deep where the various roads cross it. HARMAN BARRANCA BRIDGE.

Talk of Tracy as Vice-President. Talk of Tracy as Vice-President.

(New York Mail and Express Washington special, May 8:) Within the last few days, in view of Gov. Morton's contemplated withdrawal, the idea has grown that New York is to have the second place, and although Warner Miller has hitherto been chiefly spoken of in this connection, within the last day or so Gen. Tracy's name has, come forward most prominently. In fact, the nomination of the ex-Secretary of the Navy would be most acceptable to the Senate, for the members consider that he would make a most conservative presiding officer, and could be trusted in the impending struggle between the silver men and the advocates of a high tariff, which is sure to come in the next Congress. It is said that Gen. Tracy's nomination would be especially pleasing to the friends of Gen. Harrison, and also to those of Maj. McKinley, and it surely would be popular to New York.

Can Sweep the Convention.

(Cleveland Special to the New York Mail and Express, May 8:) "No power on earth can defeat Maj. McKinley now." That is the way Gen. Charles H. Grosvenor. McKinley's official tabulator at Washington, put it this morning. The general is here on a flying visit to Mark Hanna, and is as pleased as Funch over the results in Michigan and Indiana. To the correspondent of the Mail and Express he said: "The result of yesterday simply adds to what has gone before, and puts an absolute

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### POLITICAL POT

is Already Being Stirred by Local Office-seekers.

Candidates Galore for the City and County Offices.

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On the surface and in the air but lit-tle is seen or heard these days in the way of political chat and news, saving that which pertains to State and way of political chat and news, saving that which pertains to State and national politics. All the noise and demonstration is confined to those issues which go to make up other than city or county politics, and to discuss, publicly, at this time, the chances of any candidate for any city or county office is in as poor taste as to wear duck trousers and a blazer while the atmosphere is as yet reminiscent of days in January. nuary. But underneath the surface, and "on

But underneath the surface, and on the quiet," the hungry politician and office-seeker who yearns for the flesh pots and juicy pickings that are en-joyed in the City Hall and County Courthouse, is indeed as busy as the legendary bee whose energy has served as a simile for poets to base rhymes and lessons upon.

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derstood to have no objection to a second term of office. In fact it is believed that a colored brother, who publishes a weekly sheet in this city, hit it
off with tolerable accuracy when, in giving an intended laudatory description
of the Mayor, it was said that "Hizzoner" was a gentleman who would be
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of his continuance."

ever found "looking after the interests of his continuance."

F. S. Munson, the portly representative in the Council of the Third Ward, is making a steady and determined contest for the nomination for Mayor, and his chances are thought to be quite as good as those of any other man mentioned for the honor. Munson is a Yankee, shrewd and politic, who will make, before the year is out, a desperate struggle for the nomination.

Then there is Julius H. Martin, once mentioned as a possible Police Commissioner, when the proper sort of commissioners were scarce. Julius is being groomed quite thoroughly for the race, and good judges are inclined to regard him as having at this time the lead in the race. Quiet, smooth and altogether politic is Julius, with not too much ruggedness to be objectionable to any faction of voters in the city.

"Billy" Dunn, the present City At-

Third Ward, which Munson now represents in the Council, for a choice of men. Munson has served several terms, and will retire this year, to make his fight for Mayor. Police Commissioner Cook is mentioned to succeed Munson, and "there are others." The Third Ward really has more would-be statesmen to the square inch than any spot on earth, and the scramble among these "would-bes" promises to be a gorgeous clawing match.

Councilman Stockwell of the First Ward hopes to serve another term in the Council and aspires to the presidency of that body.

In the Fourth Ward, from whence "Papa" Kingery hails, there is politics and plenty of it. Without blushing, Kingery announces his wish for reelection, and with the "boosting" he is certain to have from Brother Pitman, who preaches to the United Brethren folks on Sundays and caucuses week days, Kingery hopes to secure another two years' berth. He has opposed to him "Johnnie" Cline, "Johnnie" Vaughn and others, who have recently been "caved down the bank" to some degree by the Pitman people. The Johnnies are grooming R. Mercer for Councilman. A queer combination in this ward is that between C. W. Fieming, deputy sheriff under Juhn Burr, and "Johnnie" Cline, who has been Burr's bitterest political enemy. Cline, who fought Burr for the Sheriff nomination, hopes, so it is said, to be United States Marshal under the next President, and to secure this end is reported to indite daily letters to Maj. McKinley's managers, giving the news of the local political situation and asking for remittances. In the event of Cline's appointment Fleming would be chief deputy—hence the combination.

There is a rumor more or less vague that Robert E. Hale has had his appetite whetled for public office by his service as a school director, and aspires to represent the Fifth Ward in the Council.

Freeman G. Teed, the present member from "the Fifth," does not seek reëlection, and steadfastly declares that he is out of politics. His recent trip to the State convention has made folks increduius of the

record makes his prospects at least as good as any other man mentioned.

E. E. Bostwick, now in the Street Superintendent's office, is an avowed candidate for the office of City Auditor. His home is in the Second Ward. City Clerk Luckenbach is pulling for the same office, as is also Col. Hine, deputy city treasurer.

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Deputy City Clerk Wilde is looked upon as a probable successor to Luckenback, who has already served two terms as City Clerk. Wilde has been in the office for a number of years, and thus far monopolizes the field, as a candidate who is prominently for the City Clerkship.

John Drain, who made an unsuccessful fight for the Street Superintendent's position two years ago, is in the field again, and working steadily to win. He halls from the Fourth Ward, and has the support of the Pitman-King-ery-Dandy people in that ward. Other candidates mentioned for the same office are H. C. Register and Hampton Hutton, both deputies in the office, George Rheinschild, Frank Chinoworth and I. R. Dunkelberger, all street contractors.

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"Billy" Dunn, the present City Attorney, has loomed up for some time as a candidate, willing to be struck by the Mayorathy lightning, if Providence should direct matters that way. Dunn is astute enough to make no pronounced affiliation with any faction at this stage of the game, but steadily attends to the law business of the city.

Capt. F. J. Cressey is quoted as being in the race for Mayor. Just how far in, the report of his candidacy neglects to state. He is much gone on the A. F. A. and counts not the cost. In the case of those Councilmen who braved the people's wishes and put themselves on record in favor of Collis Huntington's Santa Monica harbor steal and also the others less bold who were too timid to resent the job that was put up on them by the schemers, there is small chance of reflection to the offices they now hold, or to any others they may have designs upon. There is small probability of any member of the Present Council succeeding himself next year. Council man Snyder of the Second Ward is of the Democratic persuasion, and although he has not made any important breaks" or "blunders" which would destroy his chances for a renomination.

The blind "ex-boss" of San Francisco has been in Los Angeles for two days, had been in Los Angeles for two days, and during that time his quarters in the Hollenbeck Hotel have been thronged with Democratic politician of the minority. Buckley's reign in San Francisco has given him selvent politician for the Supervisoral nomination in his district, the Second.

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tion which elects delegates to the State convention will be elected. The idea of ward primaries is opposed by the fac-tion which disclaims allegiance to "the railroad," and what is romantically spoken of as the "Old Guard," is alleged to be pulling for these same ward pri-maries.

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The meeting this afternoon will be called to lorder by A. M. Stephens. He is expected to deliver an address opposing the ward primary scheme.

The "Old Guard" is alleged to have behind it the Liquor Dealers' Association, of which Gen. C. F. A. Last is the local head, the "Espee," of which Ramish & Marsh, et al., are representatives, and Buckley, who was once host, but who is now, if reports are true, forced to some south to seek support from this county for his crowd, which he wishes to seat in the coming State convention. That this is his real mission, is avowed by those who are in a position to have the confidence of the local Democratic leaders. Buckley was no doubt impressed with the swath cut by the southern delegation at the recent Republican State Concention, and realizes that to secure at this early day the support of the Southern California Democrats, in favor of his delegation to the convention, from San Francisco would be a master stroke of political genius. Beyond doubt this is his mission while in Los Angeles.

Gen. C. F. A. Last is reported to be a candidate for delegate to the Democratic National Convention, from this district.

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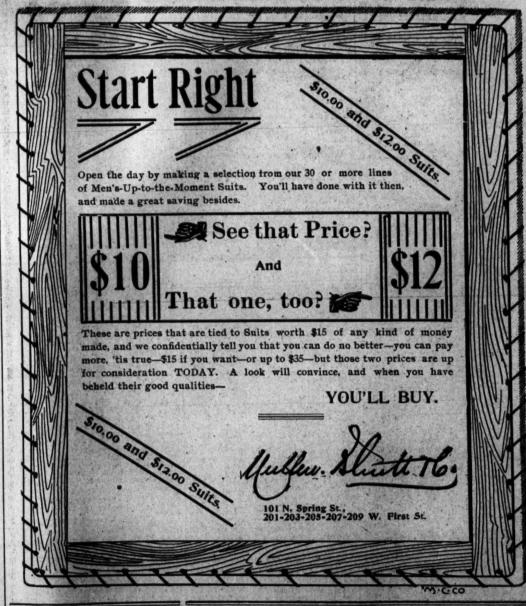
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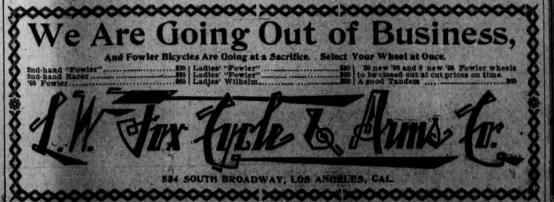
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